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The Ladies' War Relief Association.

(Hyderabad, Chuderghat, Secunderabad, Lallaguda,
Trimulgherry, and Bolarum).

Under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association,
Indian Head-Quarters, Simla.

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LADY PINHEY.

VICE PRESIDENT:

MRS. GLANCY.

HONORARY SECRETARY AND TREASURER:

MRS. DWANE.

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

HYDERABAD CENTRE. { LOCAL PRESIDENT... MRS. GLANCY.
SECRETARY ... MRS. JOHNSTON.

SECUNDERABAD CENTRE. { LOCAL PRESIDENT... MRS. SCRAFTON.

CHILKULGUDUM AND LALLAGUDA CENTRE. { LOCAL PRESIDENT... MRS. PEDDIE. SECRETARY ... MRS. AUSTIN.

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MRS. LAVER.

MRS. NUNDY.

MRS. BINNS.

MRS. NAIDU.

MRS. LUCK.

MRS. DRAKE-BROCKMAN.

MRS. NORTON.

MRS. OAKES.

MRS. CRAWFORD.

MRS. GEORGE.

THE GIFT OF INDIA.

Is there aught you need that my hands withhold,
Rich gifts of raiment or grain or gold?
Lo! I have flung to the East and West
Priceless treasures torn from my breast,
And yielded the sons of my stricken womb
To the drum-beats of duty, the sabres of doom.

Gathered like pearls in their alien graves
Silent they sleep by the Persian waves,
Scattered like shells on Egyptian sands
They lie with pale brows and brave, broken hands,
They are strewn like blossoms mown down by chance
On the blood-brown meadows of Flanders and France.

Can ye measure the grief of the tears I weep
Or compass the woe of the watch I keep?
Or the pride that thrills thro' my heart's despair
And the hope that comforts the anguish of prayer?
And the far sad glorious vision I see
Of the torn red banners of Victory?

When the terror and tumult of hate shall cease
And life be refashioned on anvils of peace,
And your love shall offer memorial thanks
To the comrades who fought in your dauntless ranks,
And you honour the deeds of the deathless ones
Remember the blood of my martyred sons!

August 1915.

SAROJINI NAIDU.

PRESIDENT'S NOTE.

MY personal thanks are due to every member of the Executive Committee, the General Committee, and to all the members of the Association, not only for the loyal support accorded to me but for the whole-hearted manner in which they have worked for the Association and, above all, for having kept in view the object of the Association, namely, "the requirements of the men on service, and the best way of providing them."

Request after request has been received, many of them urgent, yet not in one single case has the Association failed in immediately complying with the demands. The spirit which animates the workers will permit neither of delay nor failure.

As regards the supporters, I cannot say too much. They seem instinctively to know when help is required and not once has the Association been

permitted by its friends to run short of funds. The keen spirit of the workers also dominates the financial supporters not only in Hyderabad and Secunderabad but also in the Districts and even from England.

I should like to take this opportunity of adding a few lines of appreciation of the splendid work done by my Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Dwane. Last September she took over the very difficult and rather thankless task of straightening out the accounts. This she has accomplished in the most wonderful way, and our accounts are now a marvel of neatness and accuracy. I am sure she should be proud to show them for anyone who wishes to see them. Our grateful thanks are most certainly due to her for this labour and her most strenuous task of Secretary.

Two other workers I would also specially like to mention *i.e.* Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Carew Smyth. The former has in nearly all cases purchased materials and wool, superintended the cutting out of thousands of garments and packed most of the boxes. Both she and Mrs. Dwane continued their work of love all through the intense heat of the hot weather, and we are most grateful to Mrs. Johnston for her valuable and willing help. Mrs. Carew Smyth until her departure for England did all the collecting, the

giving out, and packing of a very large centre, and was much missed by us all but we hope to have her back this cold weather.

I can add nothing to the excellent report of our work by Mrs. Dwane which will I am sure interest all who read it and they will realize how much the Ladies' War Relief Association of Hyderabad and Secunderabad has done, and is still doing.

Wiet Prikey.

President.

THE RESIDENCY, BOLARUM;

27th August 1915.

INDIA TO ENGLAND.

O England ! in thine hour of need,
When Faith's reward and Valour's meed
Is death or glory ;
When Fate indites, with biting brand,
Clasped in each warrior's stiff'ning hand,
A Nation's story ;

Though weak our hands, which fain would clasp
The warrior's sword with warrior's grasp,
On Victory's field ;
Yet turn, O mighty Mother ! turn
Unto the million hearts that burn
To be thy shield !

Thine equal justice, mercy, grace,
Have made a distant alien race
A part of thee !

'Twas thine to bid their souls rejoice,
When first they heard the living voice
Of Liberty !

Unmindful of their ancient name,
Their fathers' honour, glory, fame,
And sunk in strife
Thou foundst them, whom thy touch hath made
Men, and to whom thy breath conveyed
A nobler life !

They, whom thy love hath guarded long,
They, whom thy care hath rendered strong
In love and faith,
Their heart - strings round thy heart entwine ;
They are, they ever will be thine,
In life - in death !

NIZAMAT JUNG.

August 1914.

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INAUGURATION.

THE Declaration of War with Germany on the 4th August 1914, and the stirring events which followed in rapid succession in Europe, very quickly compelled the residents of this station to realize that the time for action had arrived in which all must take part. This knowledge so rapidly driven home in the minds of the Empire was specially emphasized in this station, living as we do in the presence of a large garrison of His Majesty the King Emperor, and the military forces of His Highness the Nizam England's old Ally. The invasion of Luxemburg and Belgium by the Germans, the landing of British troops in France, and the great preparations so promptly set moving throughout the world, were keenly felt in Hyderabad and Secunderabad where it soon became known that the troops in our midst would at an early date be on the move to take part in the great fight with the common enemy for the safety of the Empire.

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Although, with the exception of Nurses, the women of the Empire cannot find their way to the Front, and sacrifice themselves in the great cause, as many would, they knew there was work, ample work, at hand for those whose lot it was to remain behind, and this knowledge quickly crystallized itself into action. In the course of three short weeks it was decided by the ladies of Hyderabad, Secunderabad and districts that they must combine and that their efforts must be organized—consequently after an informal meeting and discussion on the 23rd August the ladies of Hyderabad, Chuderghat, Secunderabad, Lallaguda, Trimulgherry and Bolarum met by invitation at the Residency, Bolarum, on the 27th August 1914 under the presidency of Mrs. Stuart Fraser, the wife of the Honourable the Resident, and formed themselves immediately into a working association named "The Ladies' War Relief Association."

OBJECT OF THE ASSOCIATION.

The object of the Ladies' War Relief Association was two-fold, primarily to raise funds for necessities and comforts for soldiers and sailors on service and the sick and wounded in hospitals; secondly, having

secured the funds to utilize them with all speed in making and providing, to the greatest possible extent, the articles that were most needed, and others that would afford some comfort and pleasure to the recipients. Its aim and object is practically the same as that of the St. John Ambulance Association but necessarily on a more limited scale, hence the decision to work under the auspices of that Association.

The thought that was uppermost in the minds of the women of Hyderabad and Secunderabad when this local Association was formed, was that the men at the front must know that although distance and the conditions of war separated them from their families and all whom they held near and dear, yet they were together in thought and ever present in the memories of those left at home, wherever that home might be. The men were to know that their sacrifices and exertions for their country and their homes, and all that is valued by them were treasured and held in high esteem by the wives, mothers, sisters and friends who remained far away in their own country and foreign climes. The work being done by the Association is for the men who are on service bearing the brunt of the war, and not for the self-elation of the women at home; the members of the

Association hope that all men, soldiers or otherwise, will grasp this point.

It was realised by the ladies of the Association that the best means in their power of brightening the lives of those fighting desparately at the front, was not only to maintain brave hearts but to send them such things as it was known their soldiers and sailors would need and appreciate, and which would be practical and actual tokens of the kindly thoughts that followed them to the trenches and the hospitals. With this thought in view, and none other, the ladies of this Association organized their work.

It was decided that the Association should work in connection with the St. John Ambulance Association, and that all work done should be packed ready for despatch and then sent to the Bombay Branch of that Association to be forwarded to the front or where most needed from time to time. The assistance rendered by the St. John Ambulance Association is described in later pages of the report.

Before the war the St. John Ambulance Association was an Association to:—

- (1) Instruct persons in First Aid in sudden accidents and illness.

- (2) Instruct persons in the elementary principles of nursing and of preventing disease.

It took the place of the Red Cross Society in England. The British Red Cross Society has no Branch in India and does no work whatever in this country. Owing to its leading position in India and its existing organization the St. John Ambulance Association took on themselves on the out-break of the war to provide:—

- (1) Voluntary aid detachments.
- (2) Complete Hospitals.
- (3) Gifts and comforts for British and Indian Troops in India and abroad.

THE FIRST COMMITTEE.

At the inaugural meeting at the Residency, Bolarum, on the 27th August of last year, a large and influential Committee was formed, and from that Committee an Executive Committee for work and

organization was elected of which the following were the members :—

President Mrs. Stuart Fraser.
Vice President Mrs. Wadeson.
Hon. Secretary Mrs. Meynell.
Hon. Treasurer Mrs. C. A. Wilkinson.

Local President	... Hyderabad Centre including Chuderghat.	Mrs. Glancy.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Mrs. Johnston.
„ President	... Secunderabad Centre.	Mrs. Hankin.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Mrs. Dallas.
„ President	... Chilkulgeddum and Lallaguda.	Mrs. Carew Smyth.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Mrs. Gayer.
„ President	... Trimulgerry Centre.	Mrs. Adams.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Miss. Hill.
„ President	... Bolarum Centre.	Mrs. Wadeson.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Mrs. Wright.
„ President	... Young Women's Christian Association.	Mrs. Pears.
„ Secretary	... Do.	Mrs. Moore.

The duty of the Local Presidents with the assistance of their Sub-Committees was to collect funds and goods for the work, to secure workers and create interest in the movement. In this they met with much success, and were ably supported in

many directions, as the excellent results show as illustrated further on in the statements of funds and goods collected and work done.

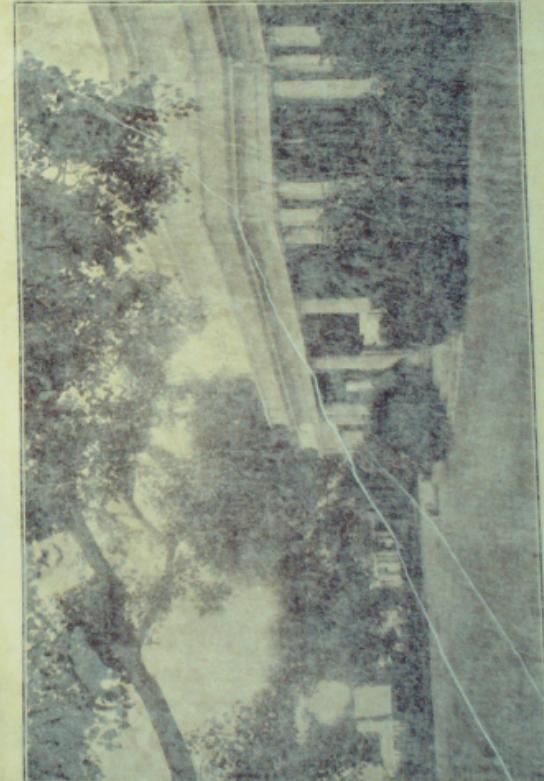
FINANCE.

At the outset on the 27th August 1914 the finance of the Association was necessarily considered on somewhat restricted lines owing to the impending great meeting of the Imperial Indian Relief Fund which was to be held in the Chuderghat Gardens, Hyderabad, two days later on the morning of the 29th August 1914 and at which subscriptions amounting to Rs. 2,88,000 were announced before the Meeting closed. With this great effort looming in the immediate future it was felt by the Ladies' War Relief Association that nothing should be done on the part of the ladies of the station which might deflect in any way from the success of that great Meeting, consequently it was decided, in the first instance, that the appeal for funds should be made to women only and that donations should be limited to a maximum of Rs. 10 while any other smaller sum would be accepted with gratitude. This decision met with ready response but it was very soon found that donations could not

be limited either to women or to Rs. 10. His Highness the Nizam promptly presented a handsome donation and funds arrived from many unexpected sources, the trading community being prominent with gifts of goods of many and useful descriptions.

FURTHER FUNDS.

Ladies of all classes and creeds joined freely and supported the Association, the Committee of which is representative and far reaching in its work. All classes were approached and generously responded, and will no doubt do more and more, as greater and continued efforts are required. Those who could aid with money sent it through the Local Presidents and Secretaries, others sent gifts many and varied, others were active workers and many combined their assistance in all three directions. The Bazaars of Secunderabad vied with the Purdah ladies of Hyderabad and the European community; all have taken part in and contributed to the success of the good work, we might even venture to say the great work, of the Association. Much has been accomplished, but much more remains to be done for our soldiers before the work of the Association



The Residency, Bolaram.

will be finished. Funds are required; goods are needed; and above all workers must be forthcoming, for without active workers the funds and goods cannot be utilized to the best advantage nor can they be despatched as quickly as required. The Association regards itself as a "First Aid" movement, and "First Aid" to be successful and effective must be immediate, and, in this matter, constant. The Association therefore appeals earnestly both for workers and supporters, the latter to provide the sinews of war and the former to apply them in the direction intended.

CHANGES.

All whose lives are spent in India know that it is a country of changes, and the Association has felt this keenly. Many of the original members have gone, changes have occurred in the Presidentship and the Committee of the Association, zealous workers have moved on, and generous friends have left; fortunately many of the best remain, but the ranks of both workers and subscribers must be recruited and refilled as changes occur. The Association relies on voluntary support, "conscription" is a

word unknown to it, and workers and subscribers are now both wanted to fill the losses caused by the changes mentioned above.

The changes in the Committee referred to above, which have been ably filled as they occurred, commenced in the very early days of the existence of the Association. The first to leave were Mrs. Meynell and Mrs. C. A. Wilkinson, whose husbands proceeded to France with the gallant King's Own Shropshire Light Infantry, and the warmest sympathy of the ladies of the Association was extended to their first Honorary Treasurer when news was received that Major C. A. Wilkinson met a soldier's death in France.

Mrs. Wadeson the first Vice-President shortly followed to Europe when General Wadeson left for France in command of the Secunderabad Cavalry Brigade. The transfer of Lt. Colonel Adams robbed the Committee of the services of Mrs. Adams. Mrs. Carew Smyth, Mrs. Pears, Mrs. Hankin and Mrs. Gayer also had to go home, and last but not least was the loss through transfer of the first President of the Association Mrs. Stuart Fraser, consequently the only original local President remaining is Mrs. Glancy. Serious though these losses were other ladies promptly filled the gaps and most effectively

continued the good work and maintained the standard of efficiency aimed at from the outset.

On the departure of Mrs. Stuart Fraser, Mrs. Glancy took over the post of President for some months until Lady Pinhey returned to Hyderabad and assumed the leadership, Mrs. Glancy remaining on the Committee as Vice-President.

In the ranks of the General Committee and among the workers changes have similarly occurred, and the vacancies in turn have been filled.

The only loss that has not been made good as a collective body is that of the Secunderabad Branch of the Young Women's Christian Association, which as a society has slipped out of the band of workers, although many are still doing excellent work as members of other Centres. Prior to the departure of Mrs. Pears this Association collected a large sum of money and did much good work. The advent is needed of a leader to infuse life and energy into that Association and bring it back once more as a working Centre on to the roll of workers. Ladies of the station who can influence the members of that society are looked to, to bring them back and put fresh life and zeal into them as an Association in connection

with the War Relief work. Since going to press the Secunderabad Branch of the Y. M. C. A. has voluntarily resumed work as one of the Centres of the Ladies' War Relief Association.

ASSISTANCE RECEIVED.

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The President and the Executive Committee of the Ladies' War Relief Association have been immensely aided in their work by the assistance rendered to them by friendly supporters, to whom reference must be made. One whose work takes him into the districts has devoted much of his leisure-time in explaining to the public outside of Hyderabad the good work being done by the women of Hyderabad and Secunderabad, and the necessity for it. His efforts were rewarded by the ready response of those who listened to him and donations have been freely given. Another has brought home the existence of the Association, and has contributed largely to the success of its efforts, by appealing with great results to the warm hearts of the Indian population of Secunderabad which is ever ready to help a good cause.

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The Wesleyan Christians of Medak, a small community of country people, subscribed amongst themselves and sent to the Association the handsome sum of H. S. Rs. 615 through the Rev. C. W. Posnett of the Wesleyan Mission, accompanied by a message which shows that there are warm hearts amongst country people ready to afford real help, and show their interest in the Empire and their sympathy with those fighting their battles.

The ladies of the Singareni Collieries and of the Gold Mines of Huttī, both very small isolated European communities, have assisted the Association not only with funds but with work done with their own hands. They are valued workers who have come forward of their own accord, although far removed from the personal influence of the capital of the State.

The Purdah ladies of Hyderabad have also done much in many ways to show that their kind hearts are ever with the troops on service, and that they are as ready as others to alleviate the hardships experienced by the soldiers in the trenches, and the sufferings of the sick and wounded in hospitals. The Association lays great value on their kind help. Their work is more fully referred to further on in the Report.

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

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The Executive Committee of the Ladies' War Relief Association meets at the Secunderabad Club every Tuesday under the Presidentship of Lady Pinhey. The frequent attendance at these meetings of the members of the General Committee is proof of the real and practical interest taken in the work of the Executive Committee, and illustrates the determination of the ladies of all classes to maintain a continued and organized effort for the benefit of the troops so long as the need therefor lasts.

WORKING PARTIES.

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At an early hour every Saturday afternoon a large party of workers meet at the Residency at the invitation of Lady Pinhey, the President. This weekly working party is a great success and a very real and practical means of disseminating knowledge of the requirements of the Association, and of the work being done and the reason why it is so essential. This working party embraces all ranks of Indian and European ladies. It is attended by

zenana ladies and their daughters who are conspicuous for their keenness and ability at practical work, other Indian ladies who are not purdah, and European ladies of all ranks connected with the Civil and Military services, and other communities, all meet and combine with the one great thought which, put into words, means that the women of this little corner of the Empire shall do their part in working for their country, their Army, and their Navy, and they intend that their soldiers and sailors shall know that there are many loving hands working for the men abroad who are fighting to protect the homes of the Empire from the destruction that has overtaken so many in Belgium, France and Russia.

The weekly working party brings together many representatives of all classes who are concentrating in amity their efforts in one direction, *viz.*, the work of alleviating the hardships experienced by the brave and strong and the sufferings of the sick and wounded soldiers and sailors who are taking part in the great fight.

PURDAH WORKING PARTIES.

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Many anxious and zealous workers among the purdah ladies of Hyderabad only wanted the oppor-

tunity of doing more than helping with funds. Invitations were consequently issued by Lady Pinhey to the purdah ladies of Hyderabad to meet at the Hyderabad Residency, those invitations received the most cordial response and large working parties met there which gave the ladies of Hyderabad the much wished for opportunity of combining to work, as others did, for the benefit of the soldiers undergoing hardships in distant countries. These parties have been greatly appreciated by the ladies who attended them for reasons already stated, and are perhaps unique in India.

CHARACTER OF WORK.

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The description of clothing and various sorts of comforts required by the troops have been notified from time to time by the St. John Ambulance Association, the leaders of which are kept in touch with the needs of the troops by the Army Staff. The Association has consequently had the assurance all through that the labour of love performed by its members has been directed in the right direction, and has not been devoted to the out-turn of articles which were unsuitable or not required.



Working Party at the Residency, Bolaram.

This knowledge is a source of great satisfaction to all workers, and more especially so as warm acknowledgments have been received from the front expressing the appreciation of those who received the clothing etc. It may be mentioned here that all boxes contain the name of the Association thus enabling the recipients to learn the source of supply.

The articles made and comforts provided have been forwarded by two means (1) in boxes by railway through the St. John Ambulance Association, (2) direct to troops in eleven pound parcels through the Postal Department; the latter procedure having the advantage of affording prompt and direct compliance with urgent wants, but the Ladies' War Relief Association has to defray the postage.

APPRECIATION.

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Apart from the grateful acknowledgments received from Regiments serving at the front, the Association received a very valuable appreciation of their work on the departure from Secunderabad of No. 12 Company, 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Sappers and Miners. On that occasion the Commanding

Officer, Captain S. Pemberton, R. E., wrote a very pleasing letter to the President, stating that he would shortly send a contribution to the funds from his Company and asked if the Association could provide his men with certain articles of clothing. The request met with willing and liberal compliance, and in due course on reaching his destination Captain Pemberton remitted the sum of British Rs. 150, namely Rs. 100 being a contribution from the Officers of the Company and Rs. 50 from the men of the Company. This incident is mentioned as showing that the work of the Association is valued, and that its labours are known to be rightly directed.

ADOPTION OF A REGIMENT.

In February 1915 a change was made in the method of the despatch of clothing and comforts at the instance of the Commander-in-Chief, and with the approval of the Council of the St. John Ambulance Association, Head Quarters, Simla. The object of the change was to bring regiments on service and workers at home or abroad into direct touch, to provide requirements to regiments which previously might have been overlooked, and to insure that

individual regiments would receive the things which for the time being they most needed.

With this object in view the Association was invited "to adopt" one or more regiments to which its work would in future be directly devoted, and to provide until the end of the war all the extra comforts over and above those provided by Government. The selection of the Association fell to the 2nd Queen Victoria's Own Rajput Light Infantry which regiment had for several years formed part of the Garrison of Secunderabad, and which when leaving left many friends and well-wishers behind.

A large consignment of clothing and comforts consisting of 850 khaki cotton shirts, 850 vests, 850 pairs of socks, 40 seers of spicess, 8 maunds of gurako, 2 dozen shirts specially made for officers, many boxes of cheroots and cigarettes, books, magazines, newspapers, playing cards, etc., has reached the 2nd Rajputs, and been gratefully acknowledged. The special requirements of the regiment having been notified by Lieut. Colonel Dunsford further supplies are being forwarded. In the meantime the Association has been informed of other and urgent wants, including shirts for a Territorial regiment in India, and it is working hard to comply with them.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.

The Association is extremely indebted to the St. John Ambulance Association for the great aid afforded in the despatch of clothing and comforts to troops on service and to the sick and wounded in hospital. A large portion of the work done by the Association was forwarded in boxes to the War Gifts Depôt of the St. John Ambulance Association, Bombay, that Depôt received the packages and made the entire arrangement for the despatch of goods to their destination, which involved, at times, heavy work. It was undertaken gratuitously by that Association, and carried out free of cost, the Ladies' War Relief Association having no anxiety or work connected therewith beyond forwarding the railway receipt and a list of contents of the boxes. The sincere thanks of the Ladies' War Relief Association are tendered to the St. John Ambulance Association for the great and continuous assistance rendered.

ASSISTANCE FROM RAILWAYS.

The Ladies' War Relief Association also take advantage of this Report to express their thanks to

the Agent and Chief Engineer (Lieut. Col. W. Chrew Smyth, R. E.) and the Officers of His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways Company Limited and to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, for the cordial assistance afforded, particularly in connection with the free carriage of all goods for troops on service which saves the Association a heavy charge against its funds. The goods carried free are clothing and comforts for the Army and Navy which under the sign of the "Red Cross," and the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association, reach their destination free of all cost. His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways Company Limited has also rendered most useful assistance in making and providing free the dealwood and zinc-lined cases required for the articles forwarded by rail, thus relieving the Association of all anxiety in connection with the contents of the boxes. For these important services the grateful thanks of the Association are offered.

BANK OF BENGAL.

The Bank of Bengal has also afforded the Association much help by receiving and taking charge of the funds free of cost, although by doing so considerable correspondence and much clerical work has fallen

on the staff of the Bank, and their assistance and invariable courtesy is greatly appreciated by the Association and gratefully acknowledged.

THE SECUNDERABAD CLUB.

The thanks of the President and the Ladies of the Association are also gratefully acknowledged to the Committee and Members of the Secunderabad Club for allowing the weekly Committee Meetings to be held at the Club, and for other assistance so kindly afforded by the Honorary Secretary.

PUBLISHERS.

Our publishers, Messrs. A. V. Pillai & Sons, The Gladstone Press, Hyderabad, have generously printed this report free of charge. The President and Committee heartily thank Mr. R. V. Pillai, Barrister-at-Law, the proprietor, for the great personal interest he has taken in the publication and for the technical knowledge he has so willingly brought to bear on the work to make it attractive.

THE HYDERABAD BULLETIN.

The Proprietor and Editor of the Hyderabad Bulletin has afforded great assistance to the Association in publishing free of charge its reports, appeals, and lists of subscriptions, and thus bringing into publicity the aim of the Association and the work being done. The President and Committee are indebted to Mr. R. H. Cameron for the assistance so cordially rendered which has done much to swell the roll of subscribers.

PHOTOGRAPHS.

The excellent photographs bound with this Report were taken and presented free to the Association by Mr. S. Frankel, Photographic Artist, Trimulgherry. The President and Committee have pleasure in not only acknowledging them with thanks but also the cordial offer of further assistance in the future.

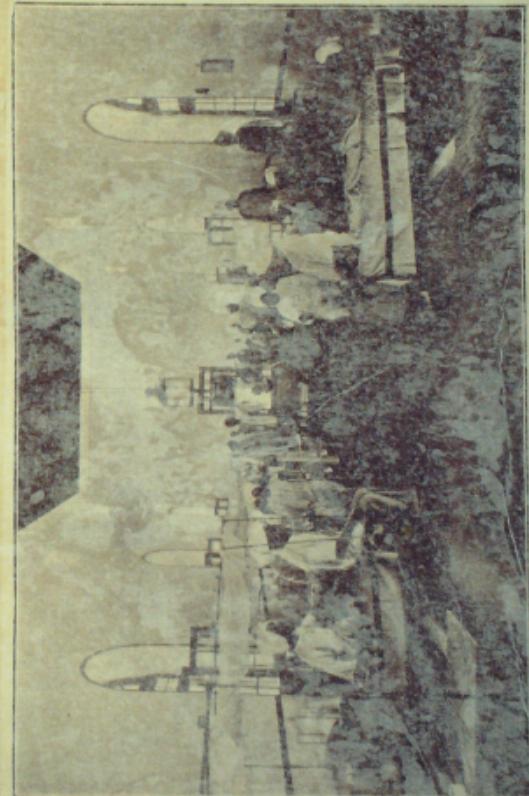
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THANKS OF THE COMMITTEE.

The grateful thanks of the President and Executive Committee are offered to the General Committee and the large body of earnest workers and supporters in the station and beyond, and particularly to members of the civil community who have made the good work their own and given freely in funds, time, and labour. The Indian ladies of Hyderabad have shown a great and special interest in the work which cannot pass unnoticed, and it is gratefully acknowledged. The President on behalf of all members of the Association expresses sincere thanks to all supporters for their recognition of the work and for making the Association the medium for rendering assistance to the soldiers and sailors who are serving in the great war, and upholding the honour of the Empire and keeping "the flag" flying.

WAR FETE, BOLARUM.

The War Fête, was held on the 16th and 17th of August 1915, in the spacious grounds of the



Ward in the Indian Troops War Hospital, Trichinopoly

Residency, Bolarum, under the leadership of Lady Pinhey assisted by Mr. G. E. C. Wakefield as Director-in-Chief, Sir Brian Egerton K. C. I. E., Major Nawab Khusru Jung Bahadur, Personal Assistant to the Honorable the Resident, Mr. R. H. Cameron and numerous other capable helpers.

Sir Brian Egerton's "Eastern Mysteries" never ceased from 3 p. m. until 8 p. m. daily and attracted a large crowd. In the arena bouts of wrestling by eight Indian champions were held at frequent intervals, followed by ram fights. The stalls within the enclosure had parties of acrobats, jugglers, conjurors, a cyclist trick rider of great skill, and musical parties, vocal and instrumental. A real Khattak war dance, and other dances by Arabs and Siddies.

Major Khusru Jung's Royal Circus which performed twice daily was clever and amusing, and was greatly appreciated.

A Pierrot Troupe of the 2-5th. Hants under the direction of Mr. Alec Robertson proved a very pleasing and versatile band of performers, and attracted crowded houses.

The children of the 7th Q. O. Hussars afforded a very pleasing item in the programme, and gave a

May-pole dance in most excellent style to the music of the regimental band.

The wild west show was an open air performance given by The Boy Scout Association, assisted by a mounted section of the Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles and mounted Boy Scouts. This entertainment attracted a very large and appreciative audience who admired the bold bare-backed riding and resourcefulness of the boys under the guidance of their keen and capable District Scoutmaster, Mr. R. H. Cameron.

The mirrors of the Fine Art Gallery, the Chamber of Horrors, the elephants, camels, and numerous other side-shows received much patronage, and proved a source of considerable income.

Messrs. Spencer & Co., and Messrs. Abid & Co., provided attractive stalls.

Dainty little saleswomen disposed of large numbers of beautifully dressed dolls, bags and baskets of sweets, etc. etc.

The refreshment enclosures conducted by Miss Pinhey and Miss Violet Pinhey were in great

demand. The teas were served by twenty-five of the ladies of the station attired as waitresses.

H. H. the Nizam's band and the band of the African Cavalry Guards played an excellent programme throughout the evening.

The Fête was an immense success, and was attended by His Highness the Nizam and suite, and a large concourse of people of all classes.

Financially the Fête exceeded expectations and produced a large sum by which the Ladies' War Relief Association will profit and will be in a position to assist War Relief Work in many directions. At the time of going to press the accounts of the War Fête have not been closed, and the profits will therefore be included in the accounts of the next year.

The warm gratitude of the Association is due to Lady Pinhey, and her large band of workers whose hard work and resourcefulness produced such happy results, happy in the fact that the Fête afforded great pleasure to the large numbers who were fortunate enough to attend it and happy also in the benefits which those on service and in hospital will derive from its financial success.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES.

The total collections from the 27th August 1914 to the 31st August 1915 amount to Rs. 27,169-5-3. During that period the expenditure was Rs. 21,931-15-0 leaving a cash balance in the Bank of Bengal of British Rs. 5,237-6-3. The Association has no debts unpaid.

On the 30th June 1915 the funds were low and the balance went down to British Rs. 2,915-7-8 but since that date numerous and liberal donations have been received, and it would appear that all classes intuitively united to provide means of meeting the needs of the approaching winter.

During the coming months flannel shirts and warm clothing will be required in large quantities, and the Association is deeply indebted to its supporters for having so heartily responded to appeals at this time of year especially as the cost of flannel and all woollen goods has largely increased thereby involving greater outlay.

APPEAL.

The President and the Committee while expressing heartfelt thanks for the liberal and sympathetic

assistance so kindly and freely afforded in the past, appeal most earnestly for the continuance of the help of the workers, and the support of subscribers to the funds, without which the Association could not in the future meet with the success that it has won in 1914-15. The President and the Committee rely firmly on receiving the same keen and substantial assistance both from workers and supporters in the future with which they have met during the past twelve months, and which is the more valuable because of the cordiality and the ungrudging spirit in which it has been presented.

Lady Pinhey has appealed to generous subscribers for monthly subsciptions and already two substantial monthly subscriptions have been promised by the Officers of the 7th Hussars and the 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force), and others are expected.

L. MARY DWANE,
*Honorary Secretary
and Treasurer.*

SECUNDERABAD (DECCAN),
The 27th August, 1915.

GOD SAVE THE KING-EMPEROR.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

For the period 27th August 1914 to 31st August 1915.

British Rupee Currency.

Receipts.	British Rs.	Payments.	British Rs.
Donations and subscriptions ...	27,169-5-3	Expenditure ...	21,931-15-0
BALANCE.			
		Bank of Bengal Secunderabad.	5,237-6-3
Total ...	27,169-5-3	Total ...	27,169-5-3

The expenses of the Association are paid for as incurred and there were no unpaid bills or outstanding accounts due on the 31st August 1915.

L. MARY DWANE,
Honorary Secretary
and Treasurer.

1st September 1915.

BANK OF BENGAL,
SECUNDERABAD.

2nd September, 1915.

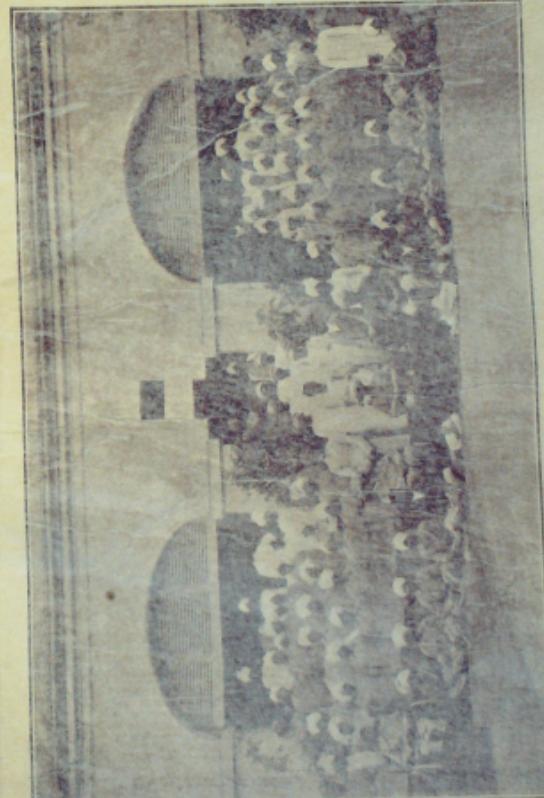
This is to certify that the balance at the credit of the Honorary Secretary and Treasurer Ladies' War Relief Fund account was British Rupee 5,237-6-3 (Rupees Five thousand and two hundred and thirty seven annas six and pies three) at the close of business on the 31st August 1915.

D. HIGHTON,
Sub-Agent.

The donations and subscriptions are furnished in detail in the lists annexed. The work and articles on which the expenditure was incurred are given in full detail in the lists attached hereto.

*Summary of amounts collected from 27th August
1914 to 31st August 1915 by the respective Centres.*

		Brit.	Rs.	a.	p.
Hyderabad Centre	....	11,239	3	1	
Secunderabad Centre	....	6,249	15	1	
Chilkulgidium and Lallaguda Centre..		1,290	0	11	
Bolarum Centre	....	544	7	0	
Trimulgherry Centre	....	177	4	0	
Secunderabad Branch of the Young Women's Christian Association	....	167	6	5	
Received direct by the Honorary Tre- surer and through the President and others	....	7,501	0	9	
 Total collections	....	27,169	5	3	



Major E. W. Browne, I.M.S., Staff and Patients, the Indian Troops War Hospital, Trimulgherry.

VICTORY.

“Rani have you heard the news?” “What news father?” “Sunder Singh has arrived by the Mail this evening”. “Then he has come a week earlier than he was expected. I was with Basant Kor this evening, and she told me he would not be here till next Saturday”.

It was almost dark, and Dr. Rai did not see the look of radiant happiness on his daughter's face. It was a face of rare loveliness, oval in shape with a low broad forehead from which the hair fell away in natural waves. The eyes were a deep brown, set far apart, and though not tall the figure was slim and dainty. She was dressed in a light yellow sari of soft silk, and father and daughter made a pretty picture as she lovingly clasped both hands round his arm.

There was a strong bond of love and friendship between this father and daughter. Rani had lost her Mother at an early age and Dr. Rai had found comfort in his sweet little daughter, and had cared for her with all a mother's love and devotion.

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The first night after his great loss he went into the little girl's room and found her sitting up wide-eyed in her bed. "Why don't you go to sleep?" "Lie down and shut your eyes Rani, it is very late." "I have not said my prayers." He seated himself by the bed side, and the little one knelt down and said her baby prayer. Then she kissed him, and holding his hand fell asleep.

It was her first appeal to his fatherhood and before he left the room Dr. Rai determined that the child should find a Mother's care and love in him. He always made time to read with her, and pray with her, and joined in her childish games and pleasures. One of the things Rani learnt from him was to be truthful, and that the best way to serve God was to try and do something for some one every day and to say some kind word to some one.

As she grew up Dr. Rai encouraged in her a sense of responsibility and she soon became a conscientious little house-wife, tidying the rooms and attending regularly to the affairs of the household. Dr. Rai also encouraged her to become a good invalid cook, and often took her to visit his sick who needed cheering and enjoyed a dainty meal.

The years had passed and Rani was now his greatest help and comfort. After dinner that evening Rani sat idle on the dimly lit verandah. She was thinking of Sunder Singh, who had been her constant companion ever since she could remember anything.

Sunder's mother lived in the adjoining bungalow, and when Rani's mother died she had been full of sympathy and had continued to lavish love and tenderness on the lonely child.

Two years ago Sunder Singh had gone to England to take a final examination in medicine, and now Rani was wondering and dreaming about him. "I wonder if he will have changed much," she thought "and if he will come and see us to-night." Almost in answer to her thought Sunder Singh came hurrying up.

"My own Rani, you have grown up, though to me you will always be the same, my own Rani" "I am very glad you have returned, and have not forgotten me", "Forgotten you! You know very well I have been longing to see you again."

They sat long on the verandah talking of the past, his visit to England and her two years in a hill school.

Sunder Singh remained with his mother expecting his orders, and every day Rani and he met. They played tennis together, and accompanied by Dr. Rai went to the social gatherings of the small station together.

Dr. Rai had many misgivings. Had he been wise in allowing this intimacy? There could never be marriage between these two for they belonged to different faiths.

The last days of Sunder's stay were drawing near, and he determined to ask Rani to be his wife before joining his regiment.

"My orders have come Rani. I will have to join my regiment at Ferozepur on the 10th, so you must come early to the picnic to-morrow and we will have a long day together."

The picnic had been a great success and the full moon had risen when the guests began to wend their way homeward. Sunder Singh's opportunity had come, and Rani knew she must give him a definite answer.

"Rani, you know I love you." "I have always loved you." "Will you marry me? "Just tell me

first if you love me, afterwards we will argue." "I know you are going to argue."

"I also love you Sunder, as you have said, so it is with me. I have always loved you very much, but we will not argue for I will not marry you". "I am thinking of you more than of myself. You know what your Mother has been to me, you know that you are all she has and this will break her heart." "I will not say anything about our being of different faiths, some day you too will know that there is One who claims first service."

"We will not speak of my Mother Rani." "All you say is true, but you know too that she is narrow-minded, prejudiced and bigoted. With regard to this religion you always have uppermost in your mind. Keep it, dear heart, it is the only way for you, and it makes you ten times more precious to me."

"I would not know my Rani, without her sense of duty, her rights and wrongs and her prayers—and I would not have you change for me. As for me, you know I have always got along very well without this sort of thing. The end of all religions is after all the same. I have worked hard for success and have always tried to think and act decently."

Rani remained quite firm, and Sunder Singh, thoughtful for the first time, went away to his work with a determination that he would return soon and win Rani.

"War has broken out Rani, and it is quite certain that the Indian Army will be made use of." Both father and daughter were thinking of Sunder, and that evening Rani stayed long with Basant Kor telling her the story of the death of Austria's heir and how the small kingdom of Belgium was threatened and invaded and England drawn into the war.

Not long after, the Lahore Division received orders for the front, and Sunder Singh ran home to bid his Mother good-bye. Basant Kor was broken hearted, but she was also resigned. Her strength was failing, and her time had nearly come. Sunder Sing feeling he would never see her again, blessed Rani for the unselfishness which had saved his mother from bitter sorrow. Rani promised to take care of Basant Kor, and took charge of many little matters which Sunder could not now entrust to his Mother. "I will look after your Mother, dear Sunder."

"And Rani, if there is news of me in the papers will you break it to her yourself dear one?" "I have

been a careless sort of fellow dear, pray for me that I may do my duty always and forget myself in serving the suffering."

Life was never the same for Rani after Sunder's departure. Basant Kor grew rapidly worse, and the day Rani broke to her the news that Sunder Singh was wounded was her last.

After all was over, and Basant Kor's affairs settled, Rani went to Dr. Rai and begged him to let her be a nurse in the Military Hospital now in his charge. The work was strenuous and Rani did not spare herself. Dr. Rai did not interfere with her, he knew from his own experience that work, and constant work, would keep her calm and sweet, and save her from the bitterness of regret.

Time passed, and yet no definite news of Sunder Singh came. Three months had passed, and every day both father and daughter grew less hopeful. Dr. Rai no longer mentioned Sunder's name, but he noted the eager haste with which she opened the paper each day and then silently laid it aside.

A batch of wounded were coming in. A local Sirdar had provided refreshments at the station. There was a great crowd, and among them Dr. Rai, superintending the removal of helpless cases.

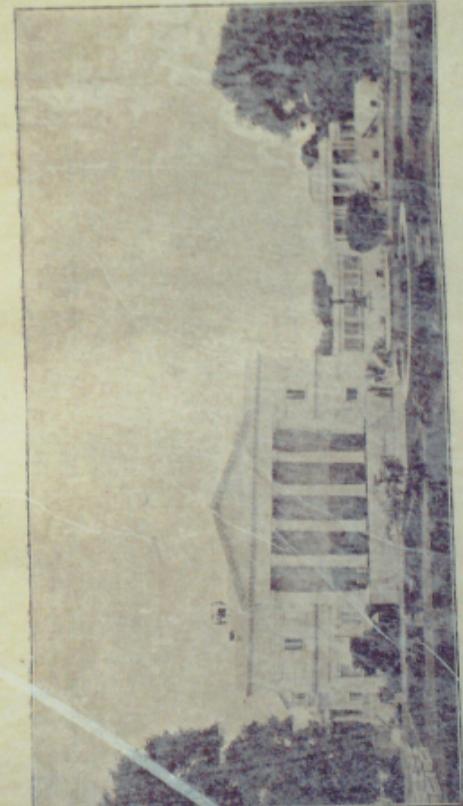
Then Dr. Rai saw Sunder Singh. Sunder using crutches but Sunder in truth. Strong man as he was, and accustomed to sorrow and suffering, tears stood in his eyes and he embraced the young man unashamed of his emotion.

Dr. Rai took Sunder to his own house, and that evening as they sat on the verandah Rani told him of his Mother's death and Sunder related to them the wonderful story of how life had come to him out of death, and joy out of suffering unspeakable.

"Going out, while we were on board ship, I was depressed and unhappy about you Rani, and about my dear Mother."

"Then I was at first nervous and afraid. Shell fire is an awful thing, and I am not ashamed to say the cruel and the actual suffering of the dying, and the sight of the dead, at first sickened me. Soon we were too busy to think, too tired to look back. Often whole nights and days passed in unceasing work, and such work."

"Then came the awful night of the 23rd November. We were in a building with the wounded. There were twenty-seven wounded and we two doctors. The position was becoming unsafe. The



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order for the ambulances came. We sent on sixteen of the wounded. They could bear it and perhaps live. The eleven left could not be moved. My colleague went on with the ambulance. Some hours passed, and I lay down in a corner to snatch a brief rest."

"Then it began. They were firing, deliberately firing at the Red Cross. I believe eight shells fell into that quarter. I only knew of three."

"When I became conscious I found myself pinned down by a heavy beam. I could not move and the agony was intolerable."

"When I awoke, He was beside me, the white man of the trenches. Many of the wounded had spoken of Him. But I had not stopped to think about it."

"Now He stood before me, a look of definite love and pity on His face. He removed the heavy weights which pinned me down and gently touched my broken ankles. Then He bent down and said, 'Do not fear, I have work for you to do yet and I know you will do it.'

"Later a search party found me."

"I recognized His bleeding hands, I have experienced His love, I have heard His voice, we will serve Him together."

HYDERABAD, DECCAN,
August 1915.

NINA NUNDY.

LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS.

Name	Amount.		Name.	Amount.	
	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
His Highness the Nizam G. C. S. I.	4,000 0 0	...	Brought forward	5,570 0 0	783 0 0
" " "	1,000 0 0	...	Contributions from Bolarum per Mrs. Wright	155 0 0	...
Mrs. Imad-ul- Mulk ....	...	250 0 0	Khaduranssia Begum	...	15 0 0
The Ladies of the family of Nawab Fakhr- ul-Mulk Bdr.	200 0 0	...	Furkonda Be- gum Shahiba ....	...	10 0 0
Lady Asman Jah ....	...	100 0 0	Mrs. Ameer Hassan	...	5 0 0
" " "	100 0 0	Mrs. Farne Dallas (col- lected by)	97 0 0	...
Mrs. Nesbitt Stephens	50 0 0	...	" "	1 4 0	...
" " "	50 0 0	...	Mrs. Binns (col- lected by)	35 0 0	...
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" " "	45 0 0	...	Mrs. Laver (col- lected by)	84 0 0	...
Mrs. D. N. Chi- nay	100 0 0	Mrs. MacDongall (collected by)	20 0 0	...
Miss D. N. Chi- nay	10 0 0	...	" "	82 0 0	...
Nawab Si- Fardoon Jung K.C.I.E., C.S.I., C.I.E.	10 0 0	...	Messrs. Spinner & Co., Bombay per Mr. A. C. Hankin	500 0 0	...
Mrs. Cameron and the Girl Guides (col- lected by)	50 0 0	...	Messrs. Cooper Allen & Co., Cawnpore, per Mr. Laver	250 0 0	...
" " "	25 0 0	...	Mrs. MacFar- lane	10 0 0	...
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" " "	30 0 0	...	Lady Afsur-ul- Mulk	100 0 0	...
" " "	30 0 0	...	Mrs. Oosman- Yar-ud-Dowla.	50 0 0	...
The Girl Guides' Concert	133 0 0	Carried over ...	6,951 4 0	818 0 0
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Mrs. Mumtaz Yar-ud-Dowla			Mrs. Nangle (col- lected by)	13 0 0	
Mrs. Hamed Yar Jung	25 0 0		Mrs. Paterson	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Killadar	25 0 0		Mrs. Mackrow	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Abdul Hai	60 0 0		...	1 0 0	...
Mrs. Abdul Jab- bar	25 0 0		Miss. Allen per Mrs. Lamb	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Md. Omur.	25 0 0		Mrs. W. Black- well per Mrs. Pins	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Sufafgan Jung of Tar- bund	100 0 0		Mrs. Montgom- ery (collected by)	45 0 0	
Mrs. Saad Jung, Meihirunnissa Begum	10 0 0		Mrs. Montgom- ery (collected by)	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Hakim-ud- Dowla	25 0 0	...	Messrs. Renny & Co. (collec- ted from Parsee ladies)	104 0 0	...
Mrs. S. Habib- uddin	10 0 0		Mrs. Brodrribb	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Prender- ghast	10 0 0		Mrs. Scrafton	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Fellows	10 0 0		Mrs. Watts	5 0 0	...
Mrs. A. C. Han- kin	50 0 0		Mrs. Campbell Ross	5 0 0	...
Munshi Maho- med Ibrahim	5 0 0		Mrs. Gilbert	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Khaikobad Munshi (col- lected by)	238 0 0		Mrs. Batty	10 0 0	...
Mrs. C. Plankett	5 0 0		Mrs. Mathews	1 0 0	...
Spence & Co.	100 0 0		Mrs. West	1 0 0	...
John Burton & Co.	50 0 0		Mrs. Tindall	1 0 0	...
Messrs Leahy & Co.	5 0 0		Mrs. Sherwood Matron Nurses and staff of the Civil Hospital and Dr. Rich- mond	91 4 0	...
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Miss. Pherroz- sha Chinoy	10 0 0	5 0 0
Mrs. Bapeej Chinoy	...	10 0 0	5 0 0
Mrs. Dorabjee Chenai	...	10 0 0	25 0 0
Miss. Allman	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Glancy	10 0 0	...
Miss. Davies	10 0 0	10 0 0	...
Miss. Shaw	10 0 0	56 14 0
Miss. Cooper	10 0 0	10 0 0
Miss. Hill	10 0 0	10 0 0
Mrs. Ashe	10 0 0	10 0 0
Mrs. Gordon	10 0 0	20 0 0
Miss. Gordon	5 0 0	100 0 0
Mrs. Adams	10 0 0
Mrs. Kenny	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Ogilvie	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Meredith	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Lumson	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Wilkinson	10 0 0	15 0 0
Mrs. Bailey	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Homan	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Bryant	10 0 0	...	Miss. N. Evans	10 0 0	...
Miss. Bryant	4 0 0	25 0 0
Mrs. Williams	10 0 0	...	Mrs. H. Evans	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Leach	5 0 0	5 0 0
Mrs. Fawcett	5 0 0	...	Miss E. H. Evans	...	10 0 0
Mrs. Morris	5 0 0
Mrs. O'Reilly	5 0 0	...	Miss Carter	5 0 0	...
Mrs. O'Brien	...	5 0 0	Miss Gammon	5 0 0	...
"A Widow"	...	5 0 0	Miss Macdonald	5 0 0	...
Mrs. Mc. Nally	...	5 0 0	Miss Porter	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Johnston	5 0 0	...	Miss Nesfield	...	5 0 0
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Mrs. Cary	5 0 0	cro			
Mrs. Devin	5 0 0	Miss Long		2 0 0	
Mrs. Banks	5 0 0	Mrs. Adams		5 0 0	
Mrs. Willmott	5 0 0			5 0 0	
Miss L. Bayley	10 0 0	"		3 0 0	
Mrs. T. Chama rette	5 0 0	"		2 0 0	
Mrs. "Warner"	10 0 0	"		2 0 0	
Mrs. Chatwood	5 0 0	"		8 0 0	
Mrs. Gardiner	5 0 0	Mrs. Farrington		2 0 0	
Mrs. Roachfort	20 0 0	Mrs. G. Lee		5 0 0	
Mrs. R. Mayber ry	5 0 0	Miss Carter	5 0 0		
The Zenana School, Hy- derabad	50 0 0	Mr. Fano		75 0 0	
Mrs. J. B. Hill	2 0 0	Victoria Zenana Hospital, Hy- derabad		10 0 0	
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"	2 0 0	"		66 0 0	
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"	2 0 0	Afzulgunj Hos- pital, Hyder- abad			
"	2 0 0			225 0 0	
Mrs. F. Schaffter	5 0 0			11 0 0	
Mrs. Long	2 0 0	The Residency			
Mrs. Sorabji	20 0 0	Hospital, Hy- derabad			
Miss Gilson	5 0 0			25 0 0	
Mahbubia Girls School, Hyder- abad		Mrs. P. Venkai- rama Reddi		300 0 0	
Mrs. W. D. Pray- ero	100 0 0	Mrs. Clifford			
Mrs. Furlong	5 0 0	Prayero	5 0 0		
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Mrs. R. Blake	...	5 0 0	Mrs. Lloyd Jones	10 0 0	...
Miss Evans, School	...	58 0 0	Mrs. Crawford	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Babonan (collected by)	...	29 12 0	Mrs. McClay	5 0 0	...
	25 0 0	Miss Beaton	5 0 0	...	
Mrs. Flynn	5 0 0		Mrs. D'Frazier	1 0 0	...
Roman Catholic Cathedral, Hy- derabad	...	100 0 0	Mrs. Barker	0 8 0	...
	35 0 0	Mrs. Williamson	0 8 0	...	
St. "Georges" Girls' School	...	44 8 0	Mrs. Fane Sew-	...	
Brij Rani Sahe- ba	...	5 0 0	ell	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Strelley	5 0 0	...	Mrs. C. T. Walk- er	10 0 0	...
Dr. W. Dyco	...	3 0 0	Mrs. Mullings	20 0 0	...
Rani Sahiba of Paparapet	...	500 0 0	Mrs. Blackwood	8 0 0	...
Mr. J. W. Ed- wards	...	5 0 0	Lallanguda Sew- ing Party	7 8 0	...
Miss Griffin	14 0 0	...			2 8 0
Mrs. Gayer	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Waller	10 0 0	...
Mrs. Dwane	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Delemos	0 8 0	...
	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Ward	0 8 0	...
Mrs. "Carew"	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Maher	0 8 0	...
Miss Smyth	5 0 0	...	Mrs. Pestonjee	10 0 0	...
Miss Winetred	5 0 0	...	Mrs. Burn	10 0 0	...
Smyth	5 0 0	...	Mrs. Collins	3 0 0	...
Mrs. Lodge	10 0 0	...	Matron and Children of		
	10 0 0	...	the Secunder- abad Protestant Orphanage		11 1 0
Mrs. Pears	...	6 0 0	Mr. Ahmed Hus- ain	5 0 0	...
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Mrs. Althaf Hussain	50 0 0		Mrs. Syed Nurul Hosani	5 0 0	
Mrs. Munn	10 0 0		Mrs. Ibtasam-ul-Mulk	150 0 0	
Mrs. G. Krishnamma Chariar	125 0 0		Mrs. Mehdil Hussain Belgrami	5 0 0	
Anonymous	20 8 0		Mrs. S. E. Reporter	5 0 0	
Y. M. C. A. Secunderabad Branch (collected by) "a Friend"	25 0 0		Wesleyan Mission School per Miss B. Seth, per Mrs. Nundy	5 0 0	
"	20 0 0		"	25 0 0	
"	50 0 0		"	25 0 0	
"	70 8 0		Mrs. Nundy	25 0 0	
"	11 0 0		The Misses Nundy	25 0 0	
Begum Hussam-ud-Dowla	100 0 0		Telugu & Hindustani Mission Workers	0 11 0	
The Rev. F. H. Levering	15 0 0		Miss E. Smith	10 0 0	
Mrs. Levering	5 0 0		A collection from the Chikulgudam-Lalaguda centre	31 8 0	
The Girl Guides, Hyderabad	167 0 0		Mrs. Moran	5 0 0	
Railway children, Lalaguda-concert by	95 6 0		The boys of St. George's Grammar School	36 4 0	
"	139 8 0		Secunderabad Branch of the Church of England Men's Society	250 0 0	
Mrs. " Shazoor Jung	5 0 0		"	250 0 0	
Mrs. Sharupurji Chinooy	50 0 0		Carried over	8,979 14 0	4,817 5 0
Namdarulnissa Begum	25 0 0		Carried over	2,596 6 0	4,899 4 0
Mrs. M. K. Munshi	5 0 0				

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	9,526 6 0	4,599 4 0	Brought forward	10,979 11 0	6,839 4 0
Proceeds of a Conjuring entertainment organized by Mr. A. G. Pears	115 0 0		The Hyderabad Ladies' Association	200 0 0	
The Lady Flora Poore	14 12 0		"	300 0 0	
Mr. G. E. C. Wakefield (collected by)	1,000 0 0		Major Rundie R.E.	10 0 0	
"	700 0 0		Congregation of the Wesleyan Mission Church, Medak	615 0 0	
The Nawab Salar Jung Bahadur	500 0 0		Mr. Stuart Fraser	10 0 0	
Mr. Garbachan Singh	92 0 0		Mrs. Meynell	10 0 0	
Railway School Children Kastell Concert	50 0 0		Miss Cannan	10 0 0	
"	50 0 0		Proceeds of Concert by St. Ann's Convent, for the Rev. Father Civil	550 0 0	
N. & M. N. (L. 93) per Mrs. Dwanee	371 8 0		The Ladies of Singareni Collieries collected by	200 0 0	
Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles, Tennis Club	50 0 0		"	50 0 0	
Lady Finney	100 0 0		Messrs. Curzon & Co.	5 0 0	
The Ladies of Hutt per Mrs. Hay	50 0 0		"	5 0 0	
Col. Marvill Smith R. F. A.	7 4 0		Nawab Moinuddin Khan Bahadur	100 0 0	
Nawab Walliud-Din Khan Bahadur	100 0 0		The Bani Sabiba of Gopalpur	1,100 0 0	
Carried over	10,979 11 0	6,839 4 0	Captain S. P. Bonham R. E.	100 0 0	
			Carried over	11,962 11 0	6,874 4 0

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	11,969 11 0	8,974 4 0	Brought forward	12,147 11 0	9,593 0 0
Captain Evans, 7th Hussars...	50 0 0	...	Monthly Subs- cription from the Officers Mess, 7th Hus- sars, 7th Hus- sars, 27th Cavalry	62 0 0	...
Mr. F. M. B. Rosenthal ...	30 0 0	...	Major Dalgety.	200 0 0	...
Messrs. Abid & Co., proceeds of charge for using their telephone and Weighing ma- chine ...	30 0 0	...	Sir Brian Eger- ton & C.I.E. ...	100 0 0	...
Mr. A. C. Bertie, per Mrs. Ca- meron ...	50 12 0	...	Collected at St. John's Church, Secunderabad, on 4th August 1915 per the Rev'd. B. D. Bee- ley ...	89 11 0	89 12 0
Miss Zeman Khan ...	30 0 0	...	Mr. Norman Da- vidson ...	20 0 0	...
Mr. Cheekoty Veeraanah ...	10 0 0	...	Mrs. Commeline	10 0 0	...
Bachu Guru- murthy ...	20 0 0	...	The Officers 22nd Sam Browne Cavalry (F.F.)	23 0 0	...
Mrs. Cameron small sums (collected by),	6 0 0	...	Mrs. Alma Latin	50 0 0	...
Mr. G. E. Soden (per Mrs. Ca- meron and the Girl Guides) ...	22 0 0	...	Collection at St. George's Church, Chand- raghat, per the Rev'd. S. John- ston ...	61 8 4	...
Miss S. Bayley ...	10 0 0	...	Per Mrs. Mac- donagall ...	4 12 0	7 8 0
"A Well-wish- er" ...	2 0 0	...	Colonel Bright	...	...
Miss Harrison ...	500 0 0	...	per Mrs. Com- meline ...	10 0 0	...
Per Mrs. Wright	6 0 0	...	Capt. Babington
			I.M.S. ...	50 0 0	...
Carried over ...	12,147 11 0	9,593 0 0	Carried over ...	12,717 2 0	9,771 12 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	12,717 2 0	9,771 12 4	Brought forward	13,167 2 0	9,980 0 4
Mr. F. A. Lodge, C.I.E. ...	50 0 0	...	Mr. Bulkoos Beg	...	2 0 0
Mr. E. A. Far- ridge ...	...	25 0 0	Mr. B. Ramiah	...	2 0 0
Forest Assis- tants and office staff of the Conservator of Forests ...	...	50 4 0	Mr. Md. Abdulla	...	1 0 0
Mr. Lodge's ser- vants ...	...	4 0 0	"Illegible" ...	...	1 0 0
Mr. G. Mackrow	50 0 0	...	Staff of Messes Abid & Co., Hy- derabad	...	25 8 0
Mr. J. F. De- Souza ...	...	...	Major W. J. F. Porter, R.A.M.C.	...	...
Mr. J. A. White.	...	...	Retd. ...	...	20 0 0
Mr. N. D. Timo- thy ...	...	...	Mr. P. Ferman- dee ...	...	1 0 0
Mr. A. McMullen	5 0 0	...	Mr. C. Phillip ...	...	1 0 0
Mr. N. M. Ali	5 0 0	...	Mr. P. Jamieson ...	...	1 0 0
Mr. Mahomed	...	...	Mr. O'Brien ...	...	2 0 0
Mr. Mahomed Younes ...	5 0 0	...	Mr. A. Abid ...	...	10 0 0
Messrs. Hope & Co. ...	3 0 0	...	Mr. F. Baker ...	...	3 0 0
Messrs. Yusuff & Co. ...	2 0 0	...	Mr. L. D. McDo- nald ...	...	3 0 0
Mr. A. Ragha- nathmull ...	...	2 0 0	Mr. J. F. De- Souza ...	...	3 0 0
Carried over ...	13,167 2 0	9,980 0 4	Mr. H. DeSouza	...	2 0 0
			Mr. J. W. Gay	2 0 0
			Mr. J. M. Math- ews	1 0 0
			Mr. J. A. Part- ridge	1 0 0
			Mr. Alfa Hus- san	1 0 0
			Mr. Myboob Ali	1 0 0

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	13,167 2 0	9,960 8 4	Brought forward	13,167 2 0	10,633 0 4
Mr. J. Elisha	1 0 0	Mrs. B. C. Chenoy	...	25 0 0	
Mr. L. Ibrahim	1 0 0	Mrs. Ferozeshah	...	25 0 0	
Mr. Kaleel	1 0 0	Paliunj	...	25 0 0	
Mr. Yenkazan	1 0 0	Mrs. W. Padmaral	...	25 0 0	
Staff of tailors		Mrs. Shah Mirza Beg	...	20 0 0	
Messrs. Abdil & Co.	15 12 0	Mrs. A. Latif	...	20 0 0	
Mr. Jameel Sab.	1 0 0	Mrs. J. P. Kanga	...	20 0 0	
Mr. Nursimah		Mrs. Giri Rao	...	20 0 0	
Butler	1 0 0	Mrs. D. P. Kanga	...	15 0 0	
Mr. Balalingoo (Engineer)	1 0 0	Mrs. R. D. Toorkey	...	15 0 0	
22 small donations	10 12 0	Mrs. N. B. Dastoor	...	15 0 0	
COLLECTED BY MRS. HYDARI		Bhikajee Dabholkar & Co.	...	15 0 0	
		Mrs. S. J. Chenoy	...	15 0 0	
Nawab Salar Jung Bahadur's family	250 0 0	Mrs. H. I. Hormusji	...	15 0 0	
Lady Asam Jah.	100 0 0	Mrs. Hashim Moizuddin	...	10 0 0	
Mrs. Syed Hashim Bilgrami and friends	95 0 0	Mrs. S. D. Kanga	...	10 0 0	
Mrs. Sadaret Jung	52 0 0	Mrs. Bunday Hussain	...	10 0 0	
Mrs. Mohanreddy	50 0 0	Mrs. D. B. Chenoy	...	10 0 0	
Miss K. S. Kanga	35 0 0	Mrs. Hormusji Darabji	...	10 0 0	
Mrs. Rustumji D. Doctor	25 0 0	Mrs. Khudad Beg	...	10 0 0	
Mrs. S. P. Kanga	26 0 0	A Parsee Lady	...	10 0 0	
Carried over	13,167 2 0	10,633 0 4	Carried over	13,167 2 0	10,973 0 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	13,167 2 0	10,973 0 4	Brought forward	13,167 2 0	11,054 0 4
Mrs. S. H. Nagarwala	...		Mrs. Khusroo B. Talukdar	...	5 0 0
COLLECTED BY MRS. HYDARI, contd.			Patmabai	...	5 0 0
			Mrs. I. C. Viccari	...	5 0 0
			Mrs. L. K. Gazar	...	5 0 0
A Parsee girl	10 0 0		Mrs. Shapurji Jevanjil	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Balakrishnadas	5 8 0		Mrs. Dossalbhoy Hirjbhai	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Lakshmi Das	5 8 0		Mrs. K. Jevanjil	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Kaneshia	5 0 0		Mrs. Ziaul Hoq	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Syed Ahmed Abdullah	5 0 0		Mrs. H. Framji	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Arizulah Sheriff	5 0 0		Mrs. & Miss Soorajibji Nowrangji	...	5 0 0
Chota Bi	5 0 0		Mrs. Munshi	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Shapurji Ookarji	5 0 0		Mrs. H. D. Wazid and Hashim Shah Benaji	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Jehangir Manackjee	3 0 0		A Parsee Lady	...	5 0 0
Mrs. D. M. Jepharpuria	3 0 0		Mrs. Basim Ali	...	5 0 0
Mrs. and Miss A. D. Banajee	3 0 0		Mrs. Ghulam	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Khaikherun Jehangir	3 0 0		Mrs. Hyderabad	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Manockji B. Viccario	3 0 0		Mrs. Basim Ali	...	5 0 0
Mrs. Edulji Tannadla	3 0 0		Mrs. Ghulam	...	5 0 0
Carried over	13,167 2 0	11,054 0 4	Carried over	13,167 2 0	11,123 0 4

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	Bt. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bt. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	13,167 2 0	11,128 0 4	Brought forward	13,282 2 0	11,634 8 4
COLLECTED BY MRS. HYDARL concl.			COLLECTED BY MRS. MALLAN- NAH H.S. RS. 324 AS FOLLOWS:		
Mrs. Sorabji Dhunjibhoy	2 0 0	Mrs. Mallannah.	50 0 0		
Mrs. R. I. Pa- rakh	2 0 0	Mrs. Naik	40 0 0		
Miss Ghomal Hy- der	1 0 0	Mrs. Kiroloskar.	10 0 0		
R.	1 0 0	Mrs. Vidurraj	3 0 0		
Mrs. Pramandas Chintandas	1 0 0	Mrs. Khesav- rao Vakil	25 0 0		
Bhikaje Dada bhyoy	0 8 0	Mrs. B. A. Bal- mukund	20 0 0		
Mother of Meena Lalla	25 0 0	Mrs. P. V. Naidu	10 0 0		
Mrs. Hakku Md. Afzal Khan	25 0 0	Mrs. Sonubai	15 0 0		
In memory of Mrs. Edulji	10 0 0	Mrs. Muktabai			
Dunjibai	100 0 0	Joshi	2 0 0		
Mrs. Dinsha Da- dabai Italia	25 0 0	Mr. Sarasvatibai			
Mrs. Mirza	5 0 0	Shirsagar	2 0 0		
Mrs. Abu Reza- "Illegible"	5 0 0	Mrs. Laxumibai			
Mrs. Dowlat Yar Jung	5 0 0	Lele	1 0 0		
Mrs. Ahmed Ali	5 0 0	Mrs. Ramabai			
Mrs. Sastry	1 0 0	Lele	1 0 0		
Mrs. Dowlat Yar Khan	2 0 0	Mrs. Durgabai			
Other collections by Mrs. Hydarl	115 0 0	Mrs. Narayanan- pettoker			
	230 0 0	Mrs. Parvatibai			
		Narayananpettoker			
Carried over	18,282 2 0	11,634 8 4	Other donations	13,282 2 0	11,059 8 4

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	Bt. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bt. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	13,282 2 0	11,059 8 4	Brought forward	14,062 2 0	11,959 8 4
COLLECTED BY CAPE. J. E. B. SCRAFTON:-			Sett Dundigal Keshavluoo, Se- cunderabad	51 0 0	...
			Sett Chidura Durvasaloo, Se- cunderabad	51 0 0	...
			Sett Dache Raj- anah, Secun- derabad	51 0 0	...
			Sett L. Mothi- ram, Trimil- gherry	50 0 0	...
			Sett Chowdri Sett Pipala Si- tharam and others	50 0 0	...
			Sett Cheekoty Veerannah, Se- cunderabad	50 0 0	...
			Mr. Gumpath Bhimrao, Resi- dency Bazaars	100 0 0	...
			Raja Bhagwan- das Haridas	100 0 0	...
			Rai Bahadur Sirdarmall Su- gammull, Resi- dency Bazaars	100 0 0	...
			Rao Sahib Ram- annah Pooliah & Sons, Bo- luru	100 0 0	...
			Sett Siddemset- ty Chundriah, Secunderabad	76 0 0	...
			Sett Jankidas, Resi- dency Bazaars	51 0 0	...
			Sett Burnu Vis- wanatham, Se- cunderabad	51 0 0	...
			Sett Abdulla Sa- hib, Ibrahim Salib, Secun- derabad	51 0 0	...
Carried over	14,062 2 0	11,959 8 4	Carried over	14,568 3 0	11,959 8 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	14,568 3 0	11,939 8 4	Brought forward	14,379 0	11,939 8 4
Sett Ramai Kon-diah Narayana, Secunderabad	30 0 0	...	Sett Dundigala Bogiah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Mr. Aramuthu Iyangar B.A., B.L., Residency Bazaar	30 0 0	...	Mr. Krishnareddy, Residency Bazaar	25 0 0	...
Sett Kallooram, Trimulgherry	25 0 0	...	Messrs. Cursetjee & Co., Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Mr. K. H. Judge, Solicitor, Secunderabad	25 5 0	...	Sett Vidyala Veerannah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Heerchund Poornachund, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Muthiala Ramanna, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Gattoo Lochmiah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Mowlannah Hajee Hasham, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Deerjee Chundmali, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Mr. K. Tastachar, B.A., B.L., Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Girdhari-lall, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Mr. N. B. Chenooy, B.A., B.L., Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Babookhan, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Hajee Md. Ishaq, Sec'abad	25 0 0	...
Sett Bunnab-chaab, Trimulgherry	25 0 0	...	Sett Noor Md. Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Sett Kus hal Chand, Trimulgherry	25 0 0	...	Sett Balakishan Lutchmandas	25 0 0	...
Sett Lalita Prasad, Trimulgherry	25 0 0	...	Recy. Bazaar	25 0 0	...
			Sett Sevarajmull Raganathmull	25 0 0	...
			Sett Bagawanth Pandarinath, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...
Carried over	14,879 8 0	11,939 8 4	Carried over	15,204 8 0	11,939 8 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	15,204 8 0	11,939 8 4	Brought forward	15,304 8 0	11,939 8 4
Sett Govindgo-pal, Bura Mani-pal, Secunder-abad	25 0 0	...	Sett S. M. Gulam Tahir, Secunderabad	21 1 7	...
Sett D. Sayan-nah	25 0 0	...	Sett Sarovaram Rao, Secunderabad	21 1 7	...
Sett S. R. Rus-tum Fram, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Lutchman Chand, Secunderabad	21 0 0	...
Sett Linga Krish-nabhad	25 0 0	...	Sett Gopaldas Ramnath, Secunderabad	20 0 0	...
Mr. Iswariah & P. Muthiah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Khan Bahader, Abdur Rahim, B.A., B.L., Secunderabad	20 0 0	...
Mr. Eliiah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Mr. A. Venugopani Moodr, B.A., B.L., Secunderabad	20 0 0	...
Mr. Moda n-chand Roop-chand	25 0 0	...	Sett Muthan-chand Hajaroe-mall, Secunderabad	20 0 0	...
Sett Kosal Shun-kariah, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Poonal, Recy. Bazaar	20 0 0	...
Sett Govindram Muthardas, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Ramrathna Kaniram, Recy. Bazaar	20 0 0	...
Sett Heskin Hari Govind, Secunderabad	25 0 0	...	Sett Hanmanth-rao Aghiram, Recy. Bazaar	20 0 0	...
Sett Punnalall, Trimulgherry	25 0 0	...	Sett Nihal Chand, Poonam Chand, Recy. Bazaar	20 0 0	...
Carried over	15,304 8 0	11,939 8 4	Carried over	15,727 11 2	11,939 8 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	15,727 11 2	11,959 8 4	Brought forward	15,907 11 2	11,959 8 4
Sett Linga Gundiah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Sroopchand Lutchminarayam, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...
Sett Mansala Rajaiah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Shrikrishen Chumeniall, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...
Sett Boma Anthiah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Madur Raghavaloo, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...
Sett Chunnillall, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Madoor Krishiah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...
Sett Tharak Viloba, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett T. Lutchmiah Ramalinga, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...
Sett Bachoo Gurumoorthi, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett P. V. Joshi, B.A., B.L., Residency Bazaars	15 0 0	...
Sett Patala Balaji, Balaram, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Mr. Govind Tatyaji, Recy. Bazaars	15 0 0	...
Sett Salver Veeranniah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Hookum Chund Heeralal, Residency Bazaars	15 0 0	...
Deshmukh Narasimhareddy, Bowinipally	15 0 0	...	Sett Kishen Sojaram, Residency Bazaars	15 0 0	...
Sett Kotha Eliah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Sett Nihal Chand Jawarunni, Sec'had, Zamindar Krishna Reddy, Bowenpally	15 0 0	...
Sett Singetham Eranniah, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Carried over	11 0 0	...
Sett Ramchender Ramsukh, Secunderabad	15 0 0	...	Carried over	11,959 8 4	11,959 8 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	16,068 11 2	11,959 8 4	Brought forward	15,199 11 2	11,959 8 4
Todarmull Deolataram, Bolarum	11 0 0	...	Sett Kotagiri Lingiah, Enkain, Bolarum	10 0 0	...
Pensioned Risaldar Shaik Hussain Sahib Bdr.	10 0 0	...	Sett Ramkrishna Chiniah, Bolarum	10 0 0	...
Sett Harrilal, Bowenpally	10 0 0	...	Sett Baljiwad Earannah Eariah	10 0 0	...
Sett Mahisab Malianah, Bowenpally	10 0 0	...	Sett Yeshwant Gurdilingappa, Bolarum	10 0 0	...
Sett Rajnalli, Trimulgherry	10 0 0	...	Sett Shamdeen Kalooram, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Bajnath, Trimulgherry	10 0 0	...	Sett Kasiram, Sett Ramkaran Beetharam, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Kasiram, Trimulgherry	10 0 0	...	Sett Gangaram, Trimulgherry	10 0 0	...
Sett Ramkaran Beetharam, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Chowthmuli Rambuksh, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Chowthmuli Rambuksh, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Kandekar Eranna, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Kandekar Eranna, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Rammath Ramchender, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Rammath Ramchender, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Villal Rajanniah Eariah, Bolarum	10 0 0	...
Sett Villal Rajanniah Eariah, Bolarum	10 0 0	...	Sett Dichpally Rajanah, Bolarum	10 0 0	...
Sett Dichpally Rajanah, Bolarum	10 0 0	...	Carried over	16,199 11 2	11,959 8 4
Carried over	16,369 11 2	11,959 8 4	Carried over	16,369 11 2	11,959 8 4

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	16,309 11 2	11,959 8 4	Brought forward	16,429 11 2	11,959 8 4
Sett Kishen Singh Mykoal Bolarum	10 0 0	...	Sett Patals Lin- goji, Secunder- abad	10 0 0	...
Sett Buldoor Lingam, Se- cunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Amanchi Eskanna, Se- cunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Voopal Gun- thiab, Secun- derabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Raja Sung- ab, Secunder- abad	10 0 0	...
Sett Akrap Ven- zannah, Secun- derabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Gudam Luchmiah, Recy. Bazaars	10 0 0	...
Mr. D'Souza, Se- cunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Ramrathar Narsingh dass	10 0 0	...
Mr. Bezonji Ad- erji, Pleader, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Recy. Bazaars	10 0 0	...
Sett B. Sundriah Ramanah, Recy. Bazaars	10 0 0	...	Sett Sivanath	10 0 0	...
Sett Patkour, Moothanah, Recy. Bazaars	10 0 0	...	Sett Rammara- yan, Secunder- abad	10 0 0	...
Sett Gowrichetti Butchiah, Se- cunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Jooseph Ab- dool Kareem, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...
Sett Charonda Narabari, Se- cunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Bowaniram, Bowenpully	8 0 0	...
Sett Agar Chand Guib Chand, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Chunnial, Trimulgherry	8 0 0	...
Sett Kursetti Kishanuah, Secunderabad	10 0 0	...	Sett Y. Bhoo- mannah, Tri- mulgherry	8 0 0	...
Carried over	16,423 11 2	11,959 8 4	Sett Y. Latch- mannah, Se- cunderabad	7 0 0	...
			Sett S. Rajloo, Trimulgherry	7 0 0	...

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	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.
Brought forward	16,547 11 2	11,959 8 4	Brought forward	16,610 11 2	11,959 8 4
Risaldar Major Mahboob Khan, Bolarum	7 0 0	...	Sett Premraj Amolak Chand, Bolarum	5 0 0	...
Sett Gangas Krishtiah, Tri- mulgherry	6 0 0	...	Sett Jetmull Ganpathmull, Bolarum	5 0 0	...
Nalech Ourao Sing, Bowen- pully	5 0 0	...	Sett Voucan Ra- jannah Rajiah, Bolarum	5 0 0	...
Sett Baijnath, Trimulgherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Solathi Yenkaanah, Ra- manah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Goparthi Butcha Rajiah, Trimul- gherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Mansal Sungiah Baliah Bolarum	5 0 0	...
Sett Konda So- mannah, Tri- mulgherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Gokul Raji- ah Lingiah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Sett Peddee Ba- ribah, Trimul- gherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Sivanah Nagiah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Sett Sagarmull, Trimulgherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Tota Ra- jannah, Ling- annah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Sett Gavarchand Megraj, Tri- mulgherry	5 0 0	...	Sett Hajarimall Chatoort Bhuj, Bolarum	5 0 0	...
Subadar Major Md. Ali Khan, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Sett Jawarimull Motihilal, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Sett Chundriah Gourial, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...	Sett Sahibcha- ootmal, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...
Carried over	16,610 11 2	11,959 8 4	Carried over	16,645 11 2	11,959 8 4

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Name.	Amount.		Name.	Amount.			
	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		
Brought forward	16,665	11 2 11,959	8 4	Brought forward	16,730	11 2 11,959	8 4
Sett Premiral Balchand, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...	Sett Gandula Venkiah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...		
Sett Omisnall Jacobdass, Bo- larum	5 0 0	...	Sett Mandrigal Narasimuloo	5 0 0	...		
Sett Abdool Ka- yoom Khan, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Sett Naina Nar- simuloo, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...		
Sett S. M. Valli- uddin, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Sett Mandrigal Aagtah, Bola- rum	5 0 0	...		
Sett Poonam- chand Shri- chand, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Sett Md. Yusaf Khan, Bolarum	5 0 0	...		
Sett Kandur Gouriah Chi- niah	5 0 0	...	Sett Jadapalli Narayana, Bo- larum	5 0 0	...		
Sett Besviah Luchmah, Bo- larum	5 0 0	...	Sett Miya Sahib, Bolarum	5 0 0	...		
Risaldar Major S. K. Sudrud- din, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Sett K. Raman- nah, Bolarum	5 0 0	...		
Subadar Major Shaik Imam, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Mr. Ramasaw- my Iyengar B.A., B.L., Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Hajji Sma- man Sab, Bo- larum	5 0 0	...	Mr. Anam Rath- niah, Secunder- abad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Kandoor Sitaramiah, Bo- larum	5 0 0	...	Mr. Mungiah, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Md. Murad, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Mr. Sakeelly Sawmy, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Padma Mu- thiah Rajah, Bolarum	5 0 0	...	Mr. Balsam Enk- annah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Carried over	16,730	11 2 11,959	8 4	Carried over	16,795	11 2 11,959	8 4

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Name.	Amount.		Name.	Amount.			
	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.		
Brought forward	16,795	11 2 11,959	8 4	Brought forward	16,855	11 2 11,959	8 4
Mr. Vadapally Narasimuloo,	5 0 0	...	Sett Semanthera- la Ramiah, Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Sakelly Sa- nhiah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Samrath- mull Pratab- chand, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Gourisetty Gurviah, Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Sivarajmal Bhawaniram, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Juin Lutch- minarayana, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Poomnam- chand, A m i r- mull, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Boogars Gouriab, Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Bulidevdas Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Narayan Krishtanah, Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Sharof Ku- parthi Luch- manah, Se- cunderabad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Thota Kar- nanah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Arnathula Baliah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Hooralah Bishwambher- iah, Secunder- abad	5 0 0	...	Sett Katal Bansil- al, Secunder- abad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Sreeman Bungiah	5 0 0	...	Sett Raja Sun- ghish, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Mr. Baji Krish- na Rao, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Pattia Ram- anah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...		
Bett Shroff Bet- chiah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...	Sett Bista Ra- bal, Secunder- abad	5 0 0	...		
Sett Linga Veer- anah, Secun- derabad	5 0 0	...	Carried over	16,910	11 2 11,959	8 4	

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Name	Amount.			Name	Amount.								
	Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.			Bts. Rs. a. p.	H.S. Rs. a. p.							
Brought forward	16,910	11	2	11,959	8	4	Brought forward						
Sett Benekunta Ramanaah, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Kanchlam Chundriah, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...							
Sett Manchala Narasimuloo, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Bandigal Narasimuloo, Secunderabd.	5 0 0	...							
Sett Bengal Ap-piah, Secunder-abad	5 0 0	...		Sett Kalal Mu-nna Lall, Secun-derabad	5 0 0	...							
Sett Raoro Ra-manaah, Secun-derabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Sangam Ra-mannaah, Se-cunderabad	5 0 0	...							
Sett Ragavaloo, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Hanuman, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...							
Mr. I. S. Naidu, Bar-at-Law, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Poona m-chand, Secun-derabad	5 0 0	...							
Mr. H. C. Tripp, Bar-at-Law, Secunderabad	5 0 0	...		Sett Dhalchand Secunderabad	5 0 0	...							
Mr. Durgapras-ad, Residency Bazaars	5 0 0	...		Sett Garla Pati-Yenkanah, Se-cunderabad	5 0 0	...							
Mr. Puncham, Recy. Bazaars	5 0 0	...											
Mr. Sivalalji Jaygopal, Recy. Bazaars	5 0 0	...											
Carried over	16,960	11	2	11,959	8	4	Total	17,000	11	2	11,959	8	4

GIFTS IN KIND.

Dr. E. Henderson Hunt ... Indoor Games for the Indian War Hospital, Trimulgherry.

The Directors of the Hyderabad Mills ... Rs. 500 worth of cloth.

Mr. A. C. Bertie ... 28,000 Indian cigarettes.

Mr. Hyder Sheriff ... 100 Indian pipes and 2,000 cigarettes.

Mr. Shaik Abadi ... 60 lbs tobacco and 250 Indian pipes.

The Staff of Messrs. Abid & Co. 100 woollen sweaters.

Messrs. John Pile and Co. ... 1,200 cigars and 1,200 cigarette holders.

Jemadar Gulam Mahomed Khan, Jagirdar ... 100 yards of cloth and 1,200 cigars.

Messrs. Alladin and Sons ... 24 aluminium tumblers.

Messrs. John Burton and Co. ... A quantity of warm clothing, including 14 woollen shirts, 4 pairs woollen drawers, 3 cotton shirts, 5 woollen mufflers, 5 pairs white socks, 50 pyjama girdles, 6 flannel pyjama suits.

Mr. Laver ... 4 stretchers of a special make.

Messrs. Mahomed Moosa & Co. |
and Messrs. Cursetjee & Co. | Each gave stores.

Employees of the Hyderabad
 Mills ... 100 pairs of sheets.

Mr. Ahmed Hussain C. S. I. ... Box of cigars.

Mrs. Crawford ... 1,000 cigarettes.

Mrs. Binns ... 24 books.

Mrs. Branch ... Tobacco, pipes and writing paper.

Mrs. Luxa ... 500 cigarettes.

Mrs. Clarke (collected by) ... 22 boxes cigarettes, 18 boxes cigars, 8,61,000 beedees, 400 chillums and 1½ maunds and 1 seer tobacco (a collection representing Rs. 180).

The Officers' Mess, H. H. the
 Nizam's Regular Troops ... 2,000 books.

Mrs. Hydari ... 2 Naval kit bags.

Mrs. Nundy ... 2 "

Mrs. Mallanah ... 3 "

Mrs. Sorabji ... 1 "

Mrs. Mumtaz Yar-ud-Dowlah. 1 "

Miss L. Mumtaz ... 1 "

Mrs. Imad-ul-Mulk ... 1 "

Lady Pinhey ... 1 "

Miss V. Pinhey ... 1 "

Mrs. Hashim Moisuddeen ... 1 "

Mrs. Johnston ... 1 "

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Mr. A. C. Hankin ... 1 Naval kit bag.

Nawab Khosru Jung Bdr. ... 1 "

Nawab Salar Jung Bahadur ... 86 Indian Gramaphone Records.

Miss Harrison ... 6 pairs knitted socks.

Mrs. Johnston ... 1,000 cigarettes and books and pictures.

Mrs. Khaikobad Munshi ... 1 Complete 10 bed unit.

Mrs. Hydari ... 1 "

Mrs. Imad-ul-Mulk ... 1 "

Mrs. Nundy ... 1 "

Mrs. Mallanah ... 1 "

Mrs. Hydari ... 1 Indian Red cross kit bag.

Mrs. Nundy ... 1 "

Mrs. Naidu ... 1 "

Mrs. Brown ... 1 "

Mrs. St. John Pollit ... 1 "

Mrs. Mallanah ... 1 "

Mrs. Homan ... 1 "

Mrs. Blake ... 1 "

Mrs. Stephens ... 1 "

Mrs. Long ... 1 "

Mrs. Devlin ... 1 "

Mrs. La Frenais	...	1	"
Mrs. Glaney,	...	1	"
Lady Pinhey	...	6	Comfort bags.
Mr. D. N. Chenoy...	...	5	Indian Gramophone Records.
Mrs. Johnston	...		Permanent employment of a tailor for cutting out etc.
Mrs. John Smyth...	...		To be spent on supplies from the Women's Workshop, Rs 5 per mensem.
Dewan Bahadur Ramgopal	...	82	splints for hospitals.
Rai Bahadur Ramanah Poliah	...		"
Mr. Manly	...	500	Cigarettes.
Mr. D. Phillips & Son	...		Box of cigars.
Mr. Ali Mohamed & Co.	...		Pipes & tobacco.
Mr. Warner	...		Cigarettes.
Mr. Dos Santos	...	"	"
Mrs. O' Brien	...	"	"
Mrs. MacManus	...	"	"
Nawab Sadik Beg Bahadur	...	"	"
Mrs. D. N. Chenoy	...	"	"
The Engine room staff of the Hyderabad Spinning and Weaving Mills.	100 lbs.	Gurako tobacco and 105 Indian pipes.	

LIST OF WORK DONE AND ARTICLES DESPATCHED.

Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>Sent to the War Gifts Depot of the St. John Ambulance Association, Bombay 67 ten-bed units, containing:-</i>	
Nightingales	327
Pyjama suits	134
Dressing gowns	42
Soft pillows	238
Pillow slips	476
Bed socks	154
Gangee tissue	84 yards.
Sand bag ticks	67
Fomentation flannels	67
Pneumonia jackets	70
Turkish towelling toilet gloves	210
Washing covers for screens	42
Operating gowns	67
Orderlies' aprons	402
Dusters	1,206
Hand towels	536
Operating cloths	804
Tray cloths	126
Table napkins	84
Flannel for bandages	402 yards.
Cotton cloth	670 yards.
Loose wove bandages	670 yards.
Beaded cup covers	670
Light woollen rugs	67
Handkerchiefs	268
Socks	134 pairs.
Soft slippers	112 pairs.

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
Balaclava caps	853
Mufflers	848
Sheets	402 pairs.
Cotton wool absorbent	162 lbs.
Muslin for swabs	8,850 yards.
Cotton wool, 2nd quality	70 lbs.
Common tow	84 lbs.
Soiled linen bags	67
Aluminium tumblers	154
Sunlight soap	67 lbs.
Soft soap	67 "
Toilet soap	268 cakes.
Playing cards	67 packets.
Indian tobacco	85 lbs.
Tobacco in 4 oz. tins	42
Cigarettes	6,700
Knitting needles	67 sets of four.
Knitting yarn	67 pounds.
Blank exercise books	42
Library books	210
Twill for splint pads	402 yards.
Delhi biscuits	67 tins.
Keatings powder	24 "
Blankets	210
Thallies	140
Katoras	140
Resais	140
Small cotton wool mattresses	140
Cardamams	6 seers.
Nuts	2 "
Cloves	2 "
Betel nut	2 "
Supari	2 "
Boracic powder	60 tins.

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
Safety pins	24 cards.
Book rests	12
Writing blocks	20
Indelible pencils	36
Postcards	86
Envelopes	600
Note paper	12 packets.
Cigars, cigarettes, cigarette holders and pipes.	1 Case 80 x 26 x 21 inches.
Cigarettes	22 boxes.
Cigars	18 "
Beedes	361,000
Chillum	400
Tobacco	1½ maunds and 1 seer.
<i>118 Red Cross Kit Bags containing:-</i>	
Shirts	56
Shawls	60
Vests	118
Socks	472 pairs.
Deck shoes	118
Towels	118
Kurtas	60
Housewives	118
Bidees	60 boxes.
Batooras	60
Datans	60
Soap	118 cakes.
Handkerchiefs	286
Drawers	56
Vaseline	56 tins.
Boracic powder	56 "
Mufflers	240
Pyjama suits	118

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>Two fifty-bed Units containing :-</i>	
Pillows	100
Pillow slips	100
Bed covers	100
Flannel coats	50
Orderley's aprons	10
Drawers	50
Cigarettes	5,000
Operating gowns	4
Socks	100 pairs.
Stretchers	4
3 large boxes containing miscellaneous warm clothing.	
Puggarees for a Hospital Ship	100
A large number of books.	
<i>To the War Hospital, Hyderabad.</i>	
Sheets	100
Pillow slips	100
Towels	100
Blankets	100
Socks	100 pairs.
Dusters	96
Shoes	50 pairs.
Puggarees	50
Handkerchiefs	50
Kurtas	104
Pyjama suits	104
Operating gowns	6
Operating screens	8
Table cover	1

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>To the Indian Troops War Hospital, Trimulgherry.</i>	
Sheets	200
Bed covers	100
Bandages	6
Operation towels	12
Operating gown	1
Orderley's apron	1
Dusters	6
Lavatory cloths	12
Screen covers	4
Khaki handkerchiefs	24
Flannel bed jackets	10
Flannel suits	86
Dhoties	120
Shirts	72
Puggarees	108
Woollen socks	86 pairs.
Cotton socks	72 "
Cotton suits	72 "
Cigarettes	9,000
Pictures	6
Playing cards	56 packets.
Chessmen & board	1 set.
Draughts & board	1 "
Tiddley winks	2 "
Pacheese	4 "
Beedees, chillums and Indian tobacco.	A large quantity.
Papers and Books	Many.
A christmas entertainment was given to the inmates of this Hospital.	
<i>To No. 8 Indian General Hospital, Cairo.</i>	
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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>To Station Hospital, Secunderabad.</i>	
Cigars	1,000
<i>To the Hospital Ship "Letitia"</i>	
Writing paper, pencils, and envelopes.	
<i>To various Regiments 18 Eleven pound parcels containing:—</i>	
Pyjama suits	18
Drawers	18
Shirts	36
Socks	36 pairs.
Mufflers	36
Mittens	18
Vests	72
Cigarettes	9,000
Balaclava caps	86
Boracic powder	18 boxes.
Vaseline	18 "
<i>To Miss Dinwoodie Q. A. M., N. S. I., for a war Hospital at the front.</i>	
Shaving mirror	1
Note paper	6 packets.
Envelopes	100
Strainers	9
Indellible pencils	12
Penholders	12
Trays	4
Cups and saucers	6
Teapots	2

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
Saucepans	1
Plates	6
Tumblers	9
Egg cups	3
Basins	3
Chairs	3
Clocks	2
Knives	6
Forks	6
Tea spoons	6
Exercise books	4
Blotting paper	6 sheets.
Feeding cups	4
Sponges	6
Tooth brushes	8
Powder boxes	3
Tooth powder	6 tins.
Soap	4 boxes.
Nail scissors	9 pairs.
Nail brushes	6
Rubber goods	6
<i>To the Navy.</i>	
Hockey sticks	8 sets.
Footballs	3
Mufflers, mittens, etc.	1 large parcel.
Books and papers	A large quantity.
<i>To the Navy 36 Tropical kit bags Containing:—</i>	
Sweaters	36
Vests	72

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
Socks	72 pairs.
Handkerchiefs	144
Mufflers	36
Cholera Belts	36
Books	36
Cigarettes	1,600
Housewives	36
Soap	36 cakes.
Tooth brushes	36
Towels	36
"Home" bags	36
<i>To the 90th Russell's Infantry.</i>	
Vests	75
Khaki shirts	75
Socks	75 pairs.
Dhotees	75
Cigarettes	2,000
Spices	5 seers.
<i>To the 2nd Rajputs.</i>	
Vesta	850
Khaki Shirts	850
Socks	850 pairs.
Officers' khaki shirts	24
Spices	40 seers.
Indian tobacco	8 maunds.
Playing cards	24
Cigarettes	1,200
Cheroots	800
Books, magazines, papers	A large quantity.
Beaded cup covers	476

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>To Lady Pentland for Hospital ship "Madras."</i>	
Beaded cup covers	180
Plate covers	95
A parcel containing a quantity of miscellaneous warm clothing	...
<i>To the 2nd Q. V. O. Sappers and Miners.</i>	
Shirts	215
Socks	215 pairs.
Boracic ointment	215
Helmet flaps	4
Spine pads	4
Handkerchiefs	24
Cigarettes	2,000
<i>60 Comfort bags containing:</i>	
Socks	60 pairs.
Handkerchiefs	120
Letter cards	300
Pencils	60
Buttons	120 dozen.
Black and white thread	120 skeins.
Soaps	60 cakes.
Cigarettes	200 packets.
Tooth brushes	24
Boracic ointment	60 tins.
Cholera Belts	24
Needles, safety pins etc	A collection.

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Names of articles.	Number or quantity sent.
<i>To the 2-4th Somerset L. I.</i>	
Khaki shirts	50
<i>To S. Battery R. H. A.</i>	
Cigarettes	2,000
<i>To 2-7th Hampshire Regiment.</i>	
Spine pads	42
Helmet covers	42
<i>To Lady Smith Dorrien.</i>	
Casualty bags	100
<i>To the Embarkation Officer, Bombay.</i>	
Sand bags	1,700

Colonel Donegan B. A. M. C., was paid Rs. 50 for the purchase of Thermos Flasks to take on service.

Mrs. Cassels was paid Rs. 50 for the purchase of socks, cigarettes and tobacco to send to the 6th Jats, the Poona Horse, and the 20th Deccan Horse.

A donation of Rs. 500 was sent to the St. John Ambulance Association, Head-Quarter Fund, Simla.

Mrs. Meredith was paid Rs. 150 for comforts for the 1st Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

The French Flag Nursing Corps was paid Rs. 150 for comforts for hospitals.

IN FRANCE.

The old gentleman had some justification for being very cross. He had, like the rest of us, been much interested in the trains of soldiers that had passed us earlier in the day, but then none of us had any idea that the delay thereby caused would end in missing connection at a small French country junction in pouring rain and being told we would be obliged to spend the night there.

The old gentleman was scolding his courier-valet with an abandonment of fury which must have been very comforting.

The courier had advised him to take this fatal train, the courier had not prevented him losing his umbrella, the courier had told him five minutes ago that there was an omnibus, and there was none.

As he was really an invalid, the lady in grey, who had travelled in the same carriage, felt impelled to offer a share of her umbrella, which old Sir James accepted eagerly, but scarcely concealing the fact that he would have preferred the umbrella without the lady. The courier, with a parting impreca-

tion, was left to transport the baggage with the help of an inadequate hand-cart, pushed by an aged and inadequate porter. The depressed party struggled over an unevenly paved street, with increasing puddles between the rough stones, and drenching rain overhead.

Sir James always got pneumonia when his feet were wet, and rheumatism and sciatica when his shoulders were wet; consequently, the lady in grey soon found herself splashing beside him, while he stepped delicately from cobble to cobble; she also soon found herself getting nothing from her umbrella but a drip.

Once she ventured to say that, after all, one must remember the country was at war, but this made Sir James very indignant.

At war? Yes, but what had that got to do with it? Wasn't England at War? And was there anywhere in England one could suffer such inconveniences and dangers to health? It was simply stupidity—want of arrangements—in fact, stupidity. The French were always slack and indolent—witness these awful cobbles—witness the want of an omnibus—and this fool of a courier had told him there *was* an omnibus—Imagine the idiocy of planting a hotel so far from the

station! And such a hotel, spuare, hideous, and apparently deserted. This was the final blow. Sir James had no more words. He stood in the porch and shivered, his whole attitude a speechless reproach to Providence and the French nation.

The lady in grey thought it fortunate that when he regained his tongue, on the belated approach of the landlady, it was still an English tongue. She was not a very attractive landlady, and she greeted her visitors with little of the usual welcome of a French provincial hotel-keeper. She looked bewildered, almost surly, and made difficulties about receiving them. If *ces messieurs et dames* had let her know beforehand—! For dinner—she would do what she could, but she feared it would be difficult—for rooms, she could provide. She regretted, but it was the war—what would you? She regretted that these ladies and gentlemen were wet. Only yesterday the horses of the omnibus had been taken—what would you? They were wanted—they were strong and fat.

The lady in grey was the last to be shown to a room. All the passengers were wet, and many were invalids; nobody therefore saw any reason to waive his or her claim to first consideration, and this caused a certain amount of delay.

The room was like hundreds of other French provincial hotel rooms—one large French window, a bed with a lumpy red eiderdown, strip of oil-cloth on the floor; on the wall a card with directions to ring once for the housemaid, twice for the waiter, three times for the boots.

"But you are alone, are you not?" said the grey lady.

The landlady's commonplace face had kept its sullen, indifferent expression through all arguments about rooms and food. At the kindness in voice and words, it suddenly, surprisingly changed for a moment; her thick lips quivered, her uninteresting eyes filled with tears. Instantly she conquered herself, and answered quietly: No, she had a maid who was helping in the kitchen.

"But all the rest?"

"What will you, Madame? France wanted them. First our domestics;" she paused for a moment and drew a sharp breath; "then our three sons. Few come here since the war; before there were many, for our baths for the rheumatism. Not English like Madame, but of the good bourgeoisie. We made good profit. Madame will perhaps excuse, as it is long since we have had so many visitors. Also there are

now few shops open to buy hurriedly, as few are left to sell and fewer to buy."

Madame felt she ought not to encourage her hostess to remain, when the dinner for so many hungry people would undoubtedly be delayed. But the outburst of words, so easily provoked, was such an obvious relief to the poor woman that she could not bear to be unsympathetic.

She said: "But when your sons come back...."

The woman broke into her words with a little cry: "Ah, Madame, they will never return. Only this morning we had news that the last died in hospital...."

She caught her breath in a sob and wiped her eyes mechanically; "What will you, Madame? It is a good death. I thank Madame for her sympathy and I must go and see for the dinner of these gentlemen and ladies. Ah, had it been but yesterday! My husband is a chef and all here know well his cooking. Madame would have been pleased...."

"But surely they haven't taken your husband, too?" said the grey lady; "his age....?"

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"What will you, Madame? When the news of our little Jules' death came this morning, he left everything. He put down the chicken he was basting, like that! and he left the soup to burn. He said 'The boys are gone, therefore I must take their place to serve France'. Because they would not take him here, he has gone to Paris. *De pauvre vieux!* He is solid, and he can cook, but he is an old man. Madame, excuse; they ring for me."

The lady in grey impulsively caught her land-lady's hand.

"You poor woman!" she cried, "You poor, poor woman!"

"What will you? It is the same for all.... But if Madame would explain to these ladies and gentlemen.... especially to the old gentleman, who is so angry? One does what one can. But it is the war.... Is it then not the same in England?"

The lady in grey had no answer ready.

M. HAMILTON.

BOLARUM, DECCAN,
August 1915.

LETTERS OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

No. 8 INDIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL,
DEAR MRS. DWANE,

The 8 dozen Indian Gramaphone Records have arrived, and are much appreciated by the patients in Hospital. Very many thanks for sending them.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

P. V. LUMSDEN.

—
INDIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE "E."
C/o PRESIDENCY POSTMASTER.

Bombay, July 8th, 1915.

DEAR MADAM,

I thank you very much indeed for your letter of 8th May about the packages of shirts and vests and socks for this Regiment. All these articles arrived safely and their numbers were correct.

The men were delighted to get these gifts and all ranks unite in thanking you very much for your kindness in having them sent to us.

We received seven cases of gifts from the Hospital Ship "Loyalty", which contained vests, shirts, socks, books, cigars and cigarettes, paper, and also the gurako tobacco. All these have been issued out, and all ranks were delighted with them and have asked me to express their very sincere thanks for your kindness in sending them.

Again thanking you and the Association very much indeed for the gifts sent for the regiment and with kind regards.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

H. G. TRANCHELL,

QUARTERMASTER, LIEUT. 2ND Q. V. O. RAJPUT L. I.

FROM THE TRENCHES.

3 parcels of warm clothing received.

C. J. COCKBURN,

for O. C. 6TH JATS.

Parcel received safely.

C. W. A. GAMLEN,

ASSTT. HONY. SECY.,

The General Hospital Indian Troops Gift House.

November 18th, 1915.

Parcel of warm clothing arrived safely. Very many thanks for your kind gift which is much appreciated.

J. H. CARLISLE, CAPT.,

COMMANDING OFFICER.

"N" Battery, R. H. A.

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE.

POONA HORSE.

Three parcels of warm clothing received. Very many thanks. All ranks wonderfully fit and well in spite of bad weather. Salams from us all. It is very nice of you to remember us all.

SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE.

November 18th, 1915.

W. G. COOPER, LT: COL.

INDIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

DEAR MADAM,

I write on behalf of the Indian Officers and men of my Regiment to thank you and your Association most heartily for the generous gifts of warm clothing which arrived last week. Those of the British Officers who availed themselves of your

generosity are also anxious to express their gratitude and I hope you will convey to all the Ladies of your Association our thanks for so kindly remembering us. The warm clothing was much needed and is most welcome as many of the men's ordinary kit had got worn and useless owing to continual wear and work in connection with their duties.

Again thanking you most warmly.

I am,

Yours truly,

A. SMITHERS, LT. COL.,

Comdg. 76th Punjabis.

SOMEWHERE ON SERVICE.

March 6th, 1915.

I. E. F. "E".

DEAR MRS. DWANE,

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Yours sincerely,
F. A. SMITH, COL.,
Commandant,

April 18th, 1915.

2nd Q. V. O. Rajput, L. I.

SOMEWHERE ON SERVICE.

No. 345 L.

OFFICE OF INDIAN TROOPS
WAR HOSPITAL,

FROM

OFFICER, COMMANDING,
INDIAN TROOPS WAR HOSPITAL,

To

MRS. DWANE,
HONY. SECY., & TREASURER,
LADIES' WAR RELIEF ASSOCIATION,

Oxford Street,
Secunderabad.

Please accept, on behalf of the sick and wounded in this hospital, grateful thanks for the kind and useful present of clothing,

generosity are also anxious to express their gratitude and I hope you will convey to all the Ladies of your Association our thanks for so kindly remembering us. The warm clothing was much needed and is most welcome as many of the men's ordinary kit had got worn and useless owing to continual wear and work in connection with their duties.

Again thanking you most warmly.

I am,

Yours truly,

A. SMITHERS, Lt. COL.,

Comdg. 76th Punjabis.

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viz: 86 white coats and trousers.

40 dhoties.

received from the Ladies' Association; the gifts are most highly appreciated.

E. M. BROWNE, MAJOR I. M. S.,
O. C., I. T. W. Hospital.

SECUNDERABAD, dated, May 24th, 1915.

The O. C. Station Hospital, Secunderabad, acknowledges with many thanks receipt of 1,000 cigars for wounded soldiers.

H. O' REILLY,
MAJOR, R. A. M. C.
Commandant, Station Hospital,
Secunderabad.

8-4-1915.

INDIAN TROOPS WAR HOSPITAL,
SECUNDERABAD.

The Officer Commanding Indian War Hospital, writes on behalf of the patients to offer their grateful thanks to The

Ladies' War Relief Association for the kind gifts of clothing and books received yesterday. The light suits are greatly appreciated by the patients in the present weather.

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INDIAN TROOPS WAR HOSPITAL,

TRIMULGHEEY,
Secunderabad,
30th March 1915.

DEAR MRS. PINHEY,

I am writing to express to you and all ladies of the Ladies' War Relief Association the most grateful thanks of the patients and all concerned with this Hospital for your kind gift of clothing and cigarettes.

I can assure you that your generous and useful presents are very highly appreciated by the wounded.

Yours sincerely,
E. M. BROWNE.
MAJOR I. M. S.

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INDIAN TROOPS WAR HOSPITAL,
SECUNDERABAD,

4-5-1915.

DEAR MRS. DWANE,

I am writing on behalf of the patients in this hospital to express their grateful thanks to your Association for the kind

gift of 2,000 cigarettes and 12 packs of playing cards. May I say that we shall be most grateful for any further gifts of the same kind you may be able to send us?

Yours sincerely,
E. M. BROWNE,
MAJOR I. M. S.

NO. 49.

Hyderabad,

Dated, May 10th, 1915.

FROM

THE SECRETARY,
ST. JOHN AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION,
Secunderabad Centre.

To

THE PRESIDENT,
LADIES' WAR RELIEF COMMITTEE,
Hyderabad.

MADAM,

I am desired by the President and Committee of the Secunderabad Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association to acknowledge receipt, with many thanks, of the report on the work of the Ladies' War Relief Committee under you, and to convey to you and to all the Members of your Committee their sincere appreciation of the strenuous efforts put forth and

their congratulations upon the splendid results achieved, which we are glad to note have already received due appreciation and acknowledgment from the seat of war.

I have the honour to be,
Madam,
Your most obedient servant,
H. E. DRAKE BROCKMAN,
LIEUT-COL. I. M. S.
Secretary—Secunderabad Centre,
St. John Ambulance Association.

Copy of a letter received from the Officer Commanding the 9th Indian General Hospital, Indian Expeditionary Force from the seat of War somewhere.

To

THE HON. SECRETARY,
SECUNDERABAD BRANCH,
St. John Ambulance Association.

9TH INDIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL,
I. E. F. D.
1st April 1915.

DEAR SIR,

Will you please convey to the donors, (the Ladies' War Relief Association), of Red Cross gift boxes in your division my

deepest gratitude for the aid given to this hospital since November last.

The gifts have added materially to the comfort of the sick and wounded and efficiency of the hospital, and the Medical Officers and patients are very grateful for them.

Yours truly,

(Sd.) G. B. IRVINE,

Lt. COL. I. M. S.

O. C. 9th L. G. H.



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